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Editorial

ASSIMILATION

"Failure to assimilate and not economics is the reason that the U.S.A. has shut her doors to immigration." This quotation is from a recent editorial in the New York Times, which deals with the proposal of Mr. Davis, U.S.A. Secretary of Labour, who advocates, that in times of labour shortage, his department should have power to suspend the quota regulations and admit immigrants to fill this need. There is an acknowledged labour shortage in certain industries in the States to-day, yet the Times editorial maintains that the U.S.A. is unwilling to sell its cultural and political birthright for a mess of industrial pottage. The immigrant does not assimilate, is the cry.

This pious role hardly befits the materialistic, selfish forces that have been, and are behind the restriction movement. There is a nigger hidden in the woodpile somewhere. Let us find him.

The Times editorial does not tell us what it means by assimilation. It takes for granted that everyone agrees that the immigrants do not assimilate.

Is this statement correct?

I believe that it is merely a blind to cover the real reason for the quota law, namely, the dislike of the unlike. The fear that the Melting Pot is melting so rapidly that the descendants of those settlers who came over on the Mayflower are being swallowed up and overwhelmed by those who, having missed the Mayflower, came over on the next boat they could get.

This, I take it, is the real reason. The Melting Pot is melting.

The Daughters of the Revolution and the Sons of New England and the blue-blooded aristocracy of the South are all realizing that the United States is no longer their private patrimony, but is becoming the patrimony of millions of peoples of diverse races and creeds, all of whom are, as Israel Zangwill pointed out some years ago, pouring themselves into the Melting Pot, which is melting and fusing and producing a new type that will not and cannot be purely Anglo-Saxon. The new type will be racially, religiously and culturally different. It will be the American type.

The descendants of the older pioneers of the U.S.A. feel that this process of assimilation

as the superior race and all other immigrants—we say all other immigrants advisedly, because the Puritans and Pilgrims were immigrants—to be of inferior blood and racial stock. I refrain from saying anything about the original ancestors of the so-called blue-blooded Southern aristocracy of Georgia, for example, who were sent out to America from England in convict ships, in just the same way as the old Czarist government in Russia used to send her political criminals and convicts to Siberia.

The Nordic theory is a piece of racial subterfuge used by men like Grant and Stoddard to give dignity and scientific covering to a mere hatred of the newcomer. They do not come out candidly and honestly, and admit that the reason they don't want any immigrants is because they fear to be overwhelmed and because of their dislike for the stranger—a feeling which is human and natural, even though it is primitive and selfish. Nevertheless it is one which everyone can understand. Instead, they are ashamed of their true and real feelings. For this reason they endeavor to cover up their feelings and dignify them by inventing such theories as that about racial superiority and inferiority. They concoct charges that the immigrant is a danger to their institutions and culture, the immigrant lowers the standard of living, the immigrant doesn't assimilate, the immigrant this and the immigrant that.

Every recognized anthropologist knows that this business about innate racial superiority among white peoples is nonsense—rank nonsense. Innately all the white races are biologically and psychically of equal ability. Differences between nationalities of white peoples exist, but they are explainable by the presence or absence of historical opportunities which they enjoyed or were deprived of. Given the same economic, social, political and educational opportunities, such as exist in the U.S.A. or in Canada, the peoples of one country will display the same abilities as those of another.

All sociologists who have studied the rate of assimilation among immigrant groups agree (see Thomas, Park, Miller, Drachler and others) that the second and third generation removed from the immigrant becomes almost completely assimilated and takes on the colour of his environment with such chameleon rapidity as to be barely distinguishable from the descendants of older settlers. The public schools, the shop and factory, the movies and the newspapers, and paradoxical as it sounds, the immigrant press, are the greatest assimilation agencies the world has ever produced. Professor Ross

that the measurement and shapes of children's skulls of Jewish immigrants approach those of other stocks under American climatic and environmental influences.

In three generations without new increments of immigration, according to a recent study, all the immigrants of New York City with the exception of the Jews and Negroes, will be completely intermarried. If this is true of New York City, how much more true is it outside of New York, where the opportunities for assimilation are even greater. It is easy to imagine the effects this melting up process will have on the old religious and racial memories of the immigrants. These will in three generations be completely obliterated, and an American consciousness, an American racial type will have been produced. What happened to the immigrants of the 1700's and 1800's is happening to the immigrants of the 1900's. Human nature is at the bottom the same, and no process excepting political oppression and social discrimination can stem this assimilation process. The forces of oppression and discrimination hinder the process of assimilation by throwing the immigrant back into his old shell. This is exactly what the older settlers, so jealous of the assimilation of the newcomers, are doing by advocating theories of racial superiority, and of registration of aliens, and of showing their dislike of the immigrant just because he came from a different country, and a few years after they did. As an immigrant Scotchman once said to an older immigrant: "Ah, yes, nae doot it is a verra wonderful thing that yer ancestors were starved out of the Old Country sae lang syne, while mine stayed until yesterday, when I came over o' my own accord."

It is a mirage, an illusion to imagine that the numerous commercial and social organizations of the immigrant are coral islands, destined to remain forever. One generation later they disappear like sand bars washed away by the ebb and flow of the tide of assimilation. This applies to all the immigrant groups, more or less. As for the Negroes, only their colour is a bar to their assimilation. In the case of the Jews, the process of cultural assimilation is going on with great rapidity. The increase of intermarriage between Jew and non-Jew shows that even in this respect the Jew is not immune to assimilation. The future of the Jew in America without immigration is not a very hopeful one.

With these facts established, what truth is there about the statement that the immigrant does not assimilate? If anything is true, it is that the immigrant is assimilating too rapidly.

Social

The annual ball of the Young People's Assembly of the Spanish and Portuguese Synagogue took place at the Windsor Hotel on December 4, attended by over 400 guests. Supper was served at midnight. The guests included: Mrs. Ascher Pierce, black satin embroidered in gay tones, with black shawl embroidered in white; Mrs. A. B. Illievitz, deep green velvet, embroidered; Miss Louise de Sola, draped silver cloth; Miss Reba Goltman, imported gown of white Spanish lace; Mrs. A. Kramer, black beaded gown, with design in gold beads; Miss Anna Kramer, white georgette in Victorian fashion; Dorothy Freiman, white satin with beaded embroidery; Misses Flossie Matts, Spanish shawl over lace dress; Rose Aronson, white satin; Ida Liverman, tangerine over yellow satin with silver ribbon; Emma Abbey, silver dress with border of seal; Hortense Markus, silver gown with batik shawl; Reba Gross, lace dress, with white shawl; Tilly Joseph, salmon beaded georgette; Mrs. Jack Spector, white gown, beaded; Ethel Cohen, ceil blue over pastel georgette; Anne Freidman, white satin with red and white beads; Reba Jacobson, peach georgette with blue ostrich tips; Mamie Lightstone, flame cut velvet with grey ostrich tips; Hattie Ginsberg, salmon georgette beaded; Eva Laterman, red georgette with ostrich tips; Gertrude Ginsberg, orange georgette with rhinestones; Ethel Shapiro, brown silk with tassels and fringe; Mrs. Jos. Cohen, powder blue gown, with white shawl; Mrs. Dave Moore, white satin with shoulder train; Mary Brotman, orange georgette with lace; Violet Ettenberg, heavy white lace with embroidery; Ruth Godine, canary georgette with canary hair band; Esther Kert, powder blue georgette with orange ostrich ornament; Lena Ashkaloney, geranium chiffon; Florence Vineberg, green georgette with touches of mauve; Dora Kellnor, powder blue with white shawl; Kate Wilanski, green beaded gown with white shawl; Sadie Fineberg, white gown with black lace shawl; Ruth Lefkowitz, grey chiffon over pink satin, with inserts of lace and ostrich tips, in bouffant style; Miriam Glickman, gold lace over deep blue; Ada Price, cloth of gold; Mollie London, blue and gold silk; Rose Daniels, white gown with white shawl; Elca Vineberg, henna georgette with gold lace; Mrs. Sam Steinberg, cocoa silk with border of fur; Celia Levinson, apricot georgette with pastel trimmings; Mary Kussner, silver cloth, bouffant style; Anne Kussner, salmon beaded with ropes of pearls; Bella Segal, white crepe with canary ostrich fan; Milly Klein, tangerine Chinese gown with applique of gold; Rose Klein, Spanish dress of apricot georgette; Anna Klein, pink velvet with ostrich tips; Miss Pauline Monicher, mauve georgette, beaded; Nessie Segal, powder blue georgette; Annie Ratner, Saxe blue velvet; Mrs. A. B. Trachtenberg, gold lace over deep green; Evelyn Vineberg, white satin, Victorian style; Bernadine Rosen, orchid with shawl; Goklie Bessner, mauve crepe with fur border; Jennie Erdich, imported canary chiffon trimmed with petals and corsage of French flowers; Sarah Park, pastel georgette; Claire Firestone, black velvet with yellow; Dorothy Wener, lemon crepe with ostrich tips and shawl; Jen Chorney, beaded black gown; Doretta Stark, French imported model of coral georgette, beaded; Hattie Adelstein, white georgette, beaded; Esther Levy, bordered silver cloth; Etta Pinsler, ciel blue georgette; Sophie Wolofsky, black

MONTREAL

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georgette with fur; Bessie Lonn, flame georgette; Irene Berzan, mauve georgette; Frances Shapiro, yellow georgette with lace; Muriel Saul, flame georgette over gunmetal lace; Mrs. C. J. Gross, white lace with rhinestone trimming; Mrs. H. Heller, salmon beaded georgette; Dora Schwartz, Nile green crepe with marabou; Miriam Issenman, yellow chiffon with ostrich tips; Claire Kahtan, mauve georgette, beaded; Bella Solomon, canary-figured chiffon; Sara Solomon, yellow-draped chiffon velvet; Hilda Ellison, peacock blue georgette; Mrs. Ben Steinberg, white crepe romaine with rhinestone beading; Mrs. Phil Glazer, white georgette; Belle Rutenberg, opalescent metallic cloth; Bess Moskovitch, gold cloth shot with all colours; Jennie Cossman, pink chiffon velvet with fur trimming; Dora Ostro, pastel georgette; Sara Adelman, flame georgette; Mrs. Leonard Van Straten, wedding gown of white kitten's ear crepe with ermine trimming; and Della Lasker, yellow taffeta with ermine tails; Messrs. Ascher Pierce, Lionel Sperber, David M. Notkin, Dr. Jack Rosen, Dr. A. Benjamin, Harry Cohen, Sid Pierce, Joe Simand, Dan Stein, Nison Treger, A. B. Trachtenberg, Ruby Rosovitch, Myer Nadler, Harry Budyk, Dr. Ben Hiems, Harris Beecher, Chas. Gradinger, Simon Goodman, Oscar Rhinehart, Sam Goldberg, Dave Levinson, Irving Freedman, Joe Glickman, Dr. A. O. Freedman, Dr. A. B. Illievitz, Jean Pare, Myer Insky, Ben Singer, Geo. Sheffer, Ernest Markus, Alf. Rittenberg, Ben Blumer, Mr. Fishel, Leon Crestohl, M. Popper, Lou Fabre, Joseph Cohen, Abe Rother, Sam Kirsch, Sam Steinberg, Jack Spector, D. Moore Aranoff, Robt. Lightstone, Mendel Segal, Leonard Van Straten, B. Cossman, Dr. H. Lightstone, Lou Abramson, Louis Davis, Aaron Schachter, I. Rosenberg, I. Adelman, Ben Steinberg, Ezra Miller, Myer Stark, Alexander Steinberg, Phil Glazer, Joe Heller, Jack Steinberg, Jess Ginsberg, Dave Berzan, Abe Fromson, Joe Solomon, B. Bessner, Max Ellison, Geo. Kreigle, Moe Cohen, Max Silver and Henry Rosenberg.

Among those who entertained in honour of Miss Bertha Dansiger, a bride of this week, were: Mrs. A. J. Alexander, Victoria Avenue, luncheon; Mrs. S. Leavitt, Roslyn Avenue, luncheon; Mrs. Gordon Lipsey, Strathcona Avenue, luncheon; and Mrs. Phil Abbey, Northcliffe Avenue, tea.

Among those who entertained in honour of Miss Lena Singer, a bride of this month, were: Misses Jennie Cossoff, Ray Greenberg and Diana Ellis, joint hostesses at a bridge and linen shower; Mrs. Shuman and Mrs. Samuels, joint hostesses at a kitchen shower; Mrs. Litwin, Harvard Avenue, evening; and Miss Frankie Lipson, bridge and personal shower.

Mrs. R. Lonn, St. Urbain Street, entertained at a linen shower and bridge,

in honour of Miss Gertrude Ginsberman, on Sunday, November 30. Five hundred and bridge were played at ten tables. Prizes were won by Mrs. H. Lonn, Mrs. B. Silverman, Mrs. Neamten, Mrs. B. Grinstein, Mrs. H. H. Levy, Mrs. J. S. Lonn, Miss Bessye Shapiro and Miss Griegen, of Ottawa. The out-of-town guests were: Mrs. M. Lonn, of Berthierville; Mrs. A. Abramovitch, of St. John, Que.; and Mrs. Griegen of Ottawa. Mrs. R. Lonn was assisted by Mrs. M. Lonn, Mrs. Wintroub, Mrs. H. H. Levy, Mrs. D. Lonn, and Miss Anna Solomon.

Miss Bessye Shapiro, 1248 St. Urbain Street, entertained at a surprise shower, in honour of Miss Gertrude Ginsberman, November 23. Miss Shapiro was assisted by Mrs. M. Shapiro, Mrs. Levine and Miss Fanny Shapiro.

Ralph Wolfe, St. Joseph Boulevard, who left for Vancouver on December 7, will remain away until May 15.

Mrs. Moe Goldenberg and family, of Three Rivers, are now living at 727 Querbes Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wolfe, Marlowe Avenue, who are sailing on the Leviathan for an extended trip to Europe, will spend the winter in Central Europe and Palestine, returning to New York towards the end of March.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Echenberg spent a few days in Montreal before returning to Sherbrooke.

Abe Echenberg, of Sherbrooke, spent the week-end in Montreal.

Mrs. C. Kandestin, Botrel Avenue, entertained at a kitchen shower on Wednesday, December 10, in honour of her sister, Helene Fenster, a bride-elect of this month.

Among those who entertained in honour of Mr. and Mrs. M. Davis, of Toronto, who were the guests of Mrs. S. Micigovsky, were Mrs. B. Nempton, St. Urbain Street, November 23, dinner for ten and evening; Mrs. W. Micigovsky, Esplanade Avenue, matinee and tea, November 26; Mrs. M. Yanovitch, Esplanade Avenue, evening, November 27; and Mrs. S. Micigovsky, St. Urbain Street, tea, November 22.

The annual ball of the Young People's Society of the Shaar Haashumayim Synagogue will be held at the Windsor Hotel on January 21. The conveners, Misses Dora Kellnor and Hortense Markus, are being assisted by Misses Emma Abbey and Miriam Glickman, Walter Freedman and Sid Pierce.

Miss Anne Shapiro, Prudhomme Avenue, entertained at bridge on November 31. Prizes were won by Misses Bessie Streen and Anna Garmaise. The guests included Libbie Miller, Marjorie Neumann, Jeanne Lewis, Lily Bald, Dora Pascal, Jeanette Yaphe, Eva Williams and Gertrude Williams.

The Arts Club held an opening meeting Wednesday, December 3, at 8.30 p.m. Miss Ruth Brotzman read a paper on "Women—Past, Present, Future." The musical programme consisted of interpretative songs in Norwegian, Spanish, Russian and English by Miss Brotzman and piano solos by Miss Stevenson.

The Whistling Society Club held its

Guy Street, November 23. Proceeds go to charitable organizations.

Miss Hattie Adelstein, 471 Strathcona Avenue, has as her guest Miss Florence Serester, of New York. Among those who have entertained for her were Miss Lillian Rudolph, Strathcona Avenue, theatre party; Mrs. Gordon Lipsey, Strathcona Avenue, luncheon; Hattie Adelstein, Strathcona Avenue, the dance; Miss Nettie Adelstein, Esplanade Avenue, formal house dance of thirty guests on Thursday; Mrs. M. H. Gross, Sherbrooke Street West, dinner; and Miss Hattie Adelstein, crossword puzzle party, Wednesday. A. S. Cohen will entertain at a supper dance at the Mount Royal Hotel on Saturday, and H. M. Adelstein will entertain at dinner at the Montefiore Club on Sunday in honour of Miss Serester. Miss Libbie Adelstein, Esplanade Avenue, will entertain at the tea hour on Sunday, and Miss Hattie Adelstein, Strathcona Avenue, will entertain at a formal house dance December 24.

Adolph Gardner, who is to be married this week, was the guest of honour at a stag at the Reform Club on Monday night. Ben Bernstein was the toastmaster. The guests included Lionel Coviensky, Rupert Caplan, Max Bernfeld, Mike Garber, Laz Phillips, Ben Robinson, R. L. Calder, Harry Benjamin, B. A. Schwartz, Lou Faber, Joe Goodman, Harry Edelstein, Nathan Fineberg, Lyon Levine, J. Sommer and Moe Kirsch.

Miss Anne Lerner spent the week-end in Quebec.

Miss Helen Talpis, Arlington Avenue, is leaving for Chicago to spend three weeks as the guest of Mrs. Albert Samuels.

Miss Lena Ashkaloney, Claremont Avenue, entertained at a linen shower, on Thursday, in honour of Miss Elizabeth Notkin, a bride of this month. Mrs. Leo Neumann and Mrs. Jack Notkin assisted in serving.

Miss Mildred Rothschild, of Detroit, and Miss Viv. Rothschild, of Orange, New Jersey, who came to town for the Sprince-Rothschild wedding, are the guests of Mrs. M. Rothschild, Sherbrooke Street West.

H. E. Davis, Harvard Avenue, is spending some time in England.

Miss Epstein, of New York, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. D. Kuppenheimer, of Roslyn Avenue.

Rufus Wolfe, Marlowe Avenue, who left for Vancouver to spend the winter months, was the guest of honour at a theatre party and supper at the Mount Royal Hotel on Saturday, December 6. A. M. Flanders was the toastmaster. The guests were J. B. Vineberg, M. Sloves, Lionel Wener, C. Walter, R. Joseph, Laz Leberman, Lou Rosen, Ben Cummings and Ralph Cummings.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Abrahams, 1070 Cadieux Street, entertained at dinner on November 31 in honour of their infant son, Solomon. Mr. Abrahams, who is the secretary of the Prinsker Loan Syndicate, numbered among the guests the board members of the organization. The guests donated \$10 to plant trees in Palestine in honour of the baby.

Mrs. H. R. Rutenberg and children, Horace and Hadassah, Hutchison Street, accompanied by Jennie and Avron Garmaise, have left to spend some weeks in Miami, Florida.

Misses Esther and Beckie Geyer, 44 Workman Street, entertained at a linen shower some weeks ago in honour of Miss Annie Nadigel, a November bride. Mrs. L. Victor, 9280 City Hall Avenue, entertained at a miscellaneous shower in her honour on November 26, assisted by Mrs. Spivach.

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power on December 3 in honour of Miss Edie Climan, a January bride. Miss Edie Climan assisted the hostess. Prizes were won by Misses Lillian Hutchison, Mrs. A. Silverman, Mrs. G. Leiber, Mrs. Julius Cooper, Mrs. H. Masop, Miss Mae Greenstien, H. Bonn, Edith Cohen and Mrs. R. Ness.

Misses Florence and May Schnaar, 1100, Urbain Street, entertained at a personal shower in honour of Miss Sadie Climan. About thirty-five guests were present.

Dr. Henry Sprince, of Lewiston, Maine, whose marriage to Miss Norma Rothschild took place this week, was the guest of honour at a stag at the Vicer Hotel on December 8. The guests included Nathan Fish, Lionel Berger, Harry Glickman, Sid Pierce, Arthur Vineberg, Ralph Bloomfield, Sherman Samit, Leon Levinson, Hy. Aron and Dr. S. Goldman.

Mrs. Wm. Bernfeld and daughter, Anita Phyllis, are leaving on December 10 for California to join Mr. Bernfeld, who left some months ago. They will be the guests of Prof. and Mrs. Jacob Berner, in Chicago, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Samet and Miss Sylvia Rice, of Boston, were the guests of Mrs. S. Lerner, Mance Street.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Samet, of Boston, were guests at the Mount Royal Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Grosser and L. Lerner, of Victoriaville, were the guests of Mrs. S. Lerner.

Mrs. Samuel Bronfman, 359 Roslyn Avenue, entertained at luncheon and a shabbat on Tuesday in honour of Miss Dorothy Kellert, a bride of next month. The guests were Mrs. Nathan Cummings, Mrs. C. K. Ripstein, Mrs. Jan Bronfman, and Misses Rose Block, Beatrice Fraid, Roslyn Caplan, Jessie Glickman, Reba Levinson and Dora Kellner.

Leon Fischel, Marlowe Avenue, spent a few days in New York.

Miss Jeanette Enzer, pianist, accompanied by Henry Herashorn, cellist, played at Douglas Methodist Church last week. She also accompanied Jean Grant, soprano, who sang at the Shaar Hashomayim Young People's Society meeting on Wednesday.

Harold Fischel, Winchester Avenue, spending some time in New York.

S. J. Rodman, executive director of Young Judaea of Canada, spent the week-end in Ottawa, the guest of Mrs. J. Freiman.

Mrs. Saul Browman, Cote St. Angeline Road, entertained at a family gathering on December 7 in honour of her guest, Mrs. M. Shein, of New York. She was assisted in serving by Mrs. B. Browman and Mrs. M. Browman.

Dr. Anne Tarshis spent last week-end in town. Dr. Tarshis, who is at the Memorial Hospital, Worcester, expects to leave for Europe soon.

Mrs. S. Gross, of New York, is visiting her children, Mr. and Mrs. M. Gross, Esplanade Avenue. Mrs. Phil Fainer, Bloomfield Avenue, entertained at dinner in her honour on December 7. Mrs. Fainer, St. Catherine Street East, entertained informally for her on December 7.

H. M. Caiserman has just returned from Ottawa, where he addressed the National Workers' Alliance on a "Tour through Palestine" on December 7.

Harry Batahaw, who won a travelling scholarship at McGill University, will be in town for a few days.

Geo. Shapiro, Atwater Avenue, is leaving for Europe in a few weeks. Mrs. Geo. Shapiro, Atwater Avenue, is leaving for Florida, accompanied by her son, George.

Among those who entertained for Mrs. Wm. Bernfeld, who is leaving for California next week, were Mrs. L. Klineberg, Dorchester Street West, Tuesday; Mrs. Harry Singer, Laurier Avenue, Thursday afternoon; Mrs. S. Cowan, Lajoie Avenue, Thursday; and Miss Bessie Rosenbaum, Mount Royal Avenue, theatre party and tea, Friday afternoon.

Joseph Aronim, of New York, who married Bertha Dansiger last week, was the guest of honour at a stag on Saturday last at the Mount Royal Hotel.

Mrs. S. Katz and Mrs. N. Troyansky entertained at a miscellaneous shower on December 7 in honour of Miss Gertrude Ginsberman. About thirty-five guests were present. Misses B. Shapiro and Kate Sorker assisted in serving. Misses Dora Boretsky and Kate Sorker will entertain at a personal shower and bridge on December 14 in her honour.

Miss Reva Lewis, Durocher Avenue, entertained at the tea hour on December 7. The guests included Misses Bess Steinberg, Bertha Neumann, Sara Matthews, Ada Price, Stella Shapiro, Jean Cossman, Lea Cossman, Bess Segal and Rose Goldman. Misses Marjorie Neumann and Jeanie Lewis assisted in serving.

Mrs. A. Freedman, Marlowe Avenue, entertained at a house dance on Saturday last in honour of Miss Norma Rothschild, a bride of this week.

Mrs. Leo Engleberg, 1550 Esplanade Avenue, entertained at dinner on December 4 in honour of the birth milah of her infant son, Leizer. About seventy guests were present. Mrs. Phil Fainer, the toastmaster, called upon the following relatives, who spoke: Rev. A. J. Signer, Samuel Guttman, Samuel Labensohn, A. Hecht, Sam Schwartz, Mr. Hollinger, Sr., Nathan Engleberg and Dave Engleberg. Joe Engleberg, of Toronto, wired congratulatory messages. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. M. Trossman, Mr. and Mrs. J. Goodis, Mr. and Mrs. M. Pelatt, Mr. and Mrs. M. Berdatsky, Mr. and Mrs. S. Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Pfeffer, I. Tucker, N. Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Fainer, Mr. and Mrs. H. Levy, Mr. and Mrs. M. Gross, Mr. and Mrs. H. Schwartz, Mr. and Mrs. J. Lonn, Max Sigler, Mrs. Beerbrier, Mr. and Mrs. L. Auerbach, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schars, Mrs. Nudelman and family, Mr. and Mrs. B. Shuloh, Mr. and Mrs. L. Fruchter, Mr. and Mrs. Webber, Mr. and Mrs. Baril, and Mr. and Mrs. Etcovitch. The older boys of the Montefiore Orphans' Home conducted krishma laines at the home of Mrs. Leo Engleberg on Monday last. Refreshments. Mr. Engleberg donated \$5 to the Montefiore Orphans' Home.

WEDDINGS

Lipson-Singer

The marriage of Lena, daughter of Mrs. C. Singer, to Saul, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Lipson, was solemnized at the Bnai Jacob Synagogue, Sunday, December 7. Rabbi Berger officiated, assisted by the bride's grandfather, Rev. Singer. The bride who was given away by her grandfather, Rev. Singer, wore an imported gown of white satin with an over-tunic of silk lace, caught at the sides with pearls and rhinestones. Her veil of silk net was arranged with garlands of orange blossoms. She carried a shower bouquet of Angelus roses with streamers of lilies-of-the-valley. Miss Frankie Lipson, maid of honour, in a gown of silver brocaded cloth, carried a bouquet of Columbia roses. The bridesmaids were Misses Golda Shuman, in a gown of silver georgette trimmed with ostrich tips; Ray Greenberg, in a gown of silver georgette with a train of ostrich tips; and Diana Ellis in a begonia French beaded gown. They all carried bouquets of Columbia roses. The best man was Frank Singer, brother of the bride, and the groomsmen were Phil Lipson, Dave Lank, Nathan Lank and Lionel Shuman. The little flower girls were Rose Lipson and Anita Cohen, who carried baskets of white and yellow narcissi. The train-bearer was Georgie Samuels. Mrs. Singer, mother of the bride, wore a gown of black beaded georgette with a corsage of red roses. Mrs. Lipson, mother of the groom, wore a black brocaded georgette gown and corsage of red roses. Dinner was served in the Community Hall of the synagogue. Mr. and Mrs. Saul Lipson are spending their honeymoon in the States, and will live in the Park Mance Apartments, Esplanade Avenue.

Aronim-Dansiger

The marriage of Bertha, daughter of I. Dansiger, formerly of England, now of Montreal, to Joseph Aronim, of New York, was solemnized at the Mount Royal Hotel at six o'clock on December 7. Rabbi H. Abramowitz officiating. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore an imported Patou model of ivory bridal satin. Her tulle veil was arranged in Dutch cap effect with border of point rose Brussels lace and clusters of orange blossoms. Her bouquet was of pink butterfly roses with shower of lilies-of-the-valley. Miss Elsie Dansiger, maid of honour, in a gown of frilled georgette that ranged in shade from palest pink to fuchsia, carried a

New York, sister of the groom, was the bridesmaid and wore a gown of white crepe romaine, beaded in all colours in rose designs, and made with flounce at back. Martin Modlin, of Brooklyn, N.Y., was best man, and Gabriel Dansiger groomsmen. The mother of the groom wore a model of black-beaded satin with corsage of American Beauties. Dinner was served to the immediate family, followed by a reception and dance. The out-of-town guests included: Mr. and Mrs. Mayer Auerbach, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Kramer, of Brooklyn, N.Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Max Aronim, Mr. and Mrs. Isadore Aronim, Moe Aronim, Henry Weinberg, Wm. Ashton, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Auerbach, Mr. Neumann, Saul Usher, Joseph Kalvin, Robert Seigel, all of New York; Barney Litman, of London, England; Philip Rome and Miss Edith Rome, of Worcester, Mass.; Jeanette Cohen, of Allston, Mass. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Aronim will live in London, England.

Samet-Lerner

The marriage of Sadie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Lerner, to Sandy Samet, of Boston, son of Mr. and Mrs. I. Samet, was solemnized at the Majestic

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The *Catholic Register* of Toronto recently printed an excerpt from an address by Rev. James N. Gillis, editor of the *Catholic World* of New York, in which he called on the Catholics to set an example of tolerance toward Jews in emulation of the popes of the Renaissance. Father Gillis in his speech also expressed the wish that if persecution ever blazes forth against the Jew in this country as in Europe no Catholic hand shall be raised against the Jew, but that 25,000,000 Catholics shall leap to the defense of the Jew. There is a suggestion in this that in case of trouble, Jews and Catholics should not persecute each other but try to prevent persecution of either group. The *Catholic Register* and the *Catholic World*, both published in sections of the country where Jews and Catholics constitute minorities and where it is natural for them to be friendly toward each other, are glad to print sentiments as Father Gillis expressed. Meantime they and all Catholics are being disgraced by *La Croix* printed in Montreal where Catholics predominate.

The position of the Jew in the Province of Quebec is a peculiar one. Protestants are already hostile enough to the Jews to want separate schools for them, and the publication by Catholics of an anti-Semitic paper, *La Croix*, makes it appear that the Jews have no single group with whom to throw in their lot. For some time past complaints have reached the REVIEW from Jews living in villages, in practical isolation from other Jews, of how their lives are made unhappy and their businesses damaged by anti-Semitic articles published time and again by *La Croix*. The paper is always quoted as saying such things as "Don't let any houses to Jews. When you see a Jewish store walk by it, and don't do any business with them."

Of course the Catholic clergy does not sponsor *La Croix*. Its sin is rather one of omission since the publication of that paper undoubtedly could be stopped at a sign from the Catholic church. A man like Father Gillis must know of its existence as he knows about all Catholic papers. His voice should be raised and his influence used against this anti-Semitic bellows to the flames of prejudice. Leaders in the Catholic religion in the States and in Canada should object to *La Croix* as a blot on their reputation for liberality toward the Jew and as a deterrent to their influence for good on their own people, because thousands of simple rural Catholics probably believe that *La Croix* is a church organ by virtue of its name if nothing else. As long as its poisonous stream circulates Father Gillis could hardly include the subscription list of *La Croix* among his 25,000,000 defenders of the Jews, nor could he be too sanguine that in case of outbreak there would be "no Catholic hand raised against."

Saturday Night remarks in sarcastic tone that Canada is getting on, what with Toronto and its Vigilance Committee of twenty-five uplifters to see that the prohibition law is enforced, and Hamilton with its Ku Klux Klan activities embracing the enrollment of such gentlemen members as have the requirements and three dollars. *Saturday Night* seems to be getting on, too, when it can poke fun at uplifters and their self-appointed task and the Ku Kluxers with their pillow slips and other regalia. This makes a rare occasion possible, that of being able to agree with *Saturday Night*.

This same paper has been running a series of very serious articles on "Smuggling a National Menace." In them is shown how Canada is being used to receive stolen and smuggled goods in enormous quantities, causing factories here to close in the face of dishonest competition, putting workmen on the street, increasing the burden of charitable organizations, causing decreased buying from merchants, etc. *Saturday Night* magnanimously shows that its quarrel over the smuggling trade is with the big offenders, those who smuggle silks and dresses, etc., in huge quantities. With the timid smuggler who goes over and brings back a "few personal articles," *Saturday Night* is very gentle. The "business community," says the paper, "is not asking that a jail sentence be given the average citizen who declares he has nothing dutiable when passing through the customs. They only ask that those persons smuggling goods for sale in Canada become acquainted with the inside of a Canadian jail."

This nonchalant assertion was an inspiration. It indicates just by the way that *Saturday Night* thinks it is only a farcical dress parade of customs officers that is marched through the railway trains by taxpayers. Its real utility to *Saturday Night* is that it

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the truth about dutiable articles purchased across the border and thus allows the paper to be consistent with its advertising columns which often suggest, through Buffalo advertising, smuggling of "few personal articles." If it is all right for the average citizen to smuggle goods from the States to which he owes no allegiance then it must be all right for *Saturday Night* to run advertisements showing purchasers how to decrease buying from Canadian merchants. In its next article on the subject this paper ought to define what is meant by a "few personal articles," so that a girl, for example, who buys her expensive trousseau in the States, may know whether she can be glib about calling it a trousseau or whether she can expect to be classed

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all, at 7.30, Sunday, December 7, Rabbi Berger officiating. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a gown of ivory bridal satin, beaded, and a tulle veil arranged with rose point and orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of Ophelia roses with shower of lilies-of-the-valley. Gertrude Lerner, the maid of honour, wore a gown of silver metallic lace. The bridesmaids were Sylvia Rice, of Boston, in Nile green; Sara Rosenbaum, powder blue georgette; Rae Freidman, green georgette with gold lace; Gertrude Heller, each with gold lace; and Maud Guran, orange georgette. All carried real bouquets of roses. Jack Cohen was the best man and the groomsmen were Lou Zweibel, Sam Lerner, Harry Mendelsohn, Peter Steinman and Joe Lerner. Berenice Lerner and Pearl Heller, the flower girls, wore peach and green dresses, and carried baskets of flowers. Dinner was served to 150 guests. Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Samet will spend some time in Washington and then return before going to Boston, where they will live. The out-of-town guests included Mr. and Mrs. I. Samet, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Samet, and Miss Sylvia Rice, of Boston; Mr. and Mrs. Max Grosser and L. Lerner, of Victoria, B.C.

Spence-Rothschild

The marriage of Norma, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Rothschild, of this city, to Dr. Henry Spence, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Spence, of Lewiston, Maine, was solemnized at the Mount Royal Hotel on Wednesday, December 5, at 6 o'clock. Rabbi Abramowitz officiating. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a gown of white georgette and silver lace with a veil of silver. Her veil was arranged in effect with orange blossoms, and she carried a bouquet of Ophelia roses and lilies-of-the-valley. She was attended by Miss Vivie Rothschild as maid of honour, in yellow georgette, and by two bridesmaids, Tessie Leavitt, hand-painted yellow crepe, and Gertrude Rothschild, in peach georgette with silver lace. All carried bouquets of pink sweetheart roses. The best man was Jean Asch, the flower girl, wore maize taffeta and carried a basket of roses. Norman Kaplan, the little page, wore a Lord Canterbury suit. Dinner was served to 100 guests. Mrs. M. Rothschild, mother of the bride, wore a gown of black beaded tulle. The gifts to the bride's attendants were sterling vanity cases. The out-of-town guests included Mrs. Joe Rothschild, of Sudbury, Ont.; Mildred Rothschild, of Detroit; and Hy Seman, of Philadelphia. Dr. and Mrs. Henry Spence will live in Lewiston, Maine.

Mishkin-Cohen

Harry Mishkin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mishkin, formerly of Montreal but now of San Francisco, was married to Miss Belle Cohen, daughter of Mr. A. S. Cohen, of San Francisco, on Saturday, November 1, at Sacramento, California. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mishkin are living at 2649 Van Ness Street, San Francisco.

Victor-Nadigel

The marriage of Annie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Nadigel, to Bennie Victor, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Victor, was solemnized at the Bnai Jacob Synagogue on November 30. The bride was given away by her father and wore a gown of kitten's ear crepe satin with ostrich feathers and sequin panels. Her veil was of tulle arranged with orange blossoms and she carried a bouquet of Ophelia roses with shower of lilies-of-the-valley. The flower girls, Rebecca Nadigel and Mollie Geyer, wore jade dresses and carried baskets of lilies. The maid of honour wore a blue georgette with ostrich tips. The bridesmaids, Fanny Gitlette, in coral georgette, Clara Strulovitch, in mauve georgette, Kate Strulovitch, in peach georgette, and Mrs. L. Victor, in green georgette, all carried bouquets of roses.

Nathan Frank was best man. The ushers were Sam Nadigel, Percy Caplan, Simon Rothman and Louie Foreman. The gifts to the bride's attendants were pearl necklaces and to the groomsmen pearl pen-knives. Mrs. Nadigel, mother of the bride, wore black cut velvet georgette with ermine fur. Mrs. Louis Victor wore a gown of satin canton with beading. The guests included the Maccabean Zionists. Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Victor will live at 1689 Notre Dame Street.

Gold-Epstein

The marriage of Rae Epstein to Samuel Gold was solemnized at the Bnai Jacob Synagogue on December 4, Rabbi Hirschhorn officiating. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a gown of white satin, with ostrich tips and train of lace. Her veil was arranged with orange blossoms and she carried a bouquet of Ophelia roses. Goldie Epstein, the maid of honour, wore peach georgette. The bridesmaids were D. Matlin, Dolly Margolise and Bella Epstein. The groomsmen were M. Kishner, A. L. Epstein and Jack Pfeffer. Molly Auerbach, Lily Adelstein and Annie Adelstein, the flower girls, wore pastel shades and carried baskets of flowers. Dinner was served to 150 guests.

ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. A. Goldman announce the engagement of their daughter, Esther, to Lewis I. Ram, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Ram, Montreal. Marriage in July.

The engagement is announced of Helene, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Fenster, Laval Avenue, to Saul Wichesky, son of the late Rev. and Mrs. Wichesky, of Sudbury, Ont. Wedding, December 28.

BORN

To Mr. and Mrs. George Hollinger, at the Medical Arts Building, on December 2, a son.

To Dr. and Mrs. Schkaler, at the Montreal Maternity Hospital, on December 2, a son.

At Montreal Maternity Hospital, December 5, to Mr. and Mrs. Segal, 133 Mount Royal West, a daughter.

December 5, at the Baxter Private Hospital, 5569 Park Avenue, to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Herman, a son. New York papers please copy.

IN MEMORIAM

KATZ—In memory of our son and brother, Sammy, who died December 7, 1923. Remembered by father, mother, sisters and brother.

KATZ—In memory of my dear nephew, Sammy, who died December 7, 1923. Auntie Rosie.

APPROACHING MARRIAGES

Snyder-Shayne

The marriage of Mary, daughter of Mrs. J. Shayne, Durocher Avenue, to Seymour Snyder, of New York, will take place quietly at the home of the bride's mother on December 28.

Ellin-Ginsberman

The marriage of Gertrude, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Ginsberman, to Israel L. Ellen, of New York, and Waterbury, Conn., will be solemnized on December 28.

ELLEN BALLON COMING TO MONTREAL

Miss Ellen Ballon, concert pianist, is coming home to Montreal to give a recital at the Windsor Hotel, January 14. She gave her first recital in Windsor Hall at the age of five, when she was unable to read a note. She was awarded the first scholarship given by the McGill Conservatorium of Music and studied for a year with Miss Lichtenheim. Then she studied in New York with Raphael Joseph, who died a few years ago, after which she spent



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Alberto Jonas, Spanish teacher. At the age of ten, she played with the New York Symphony Orchestra. She has played with the New York Philharmonic Orchestra and at the White House for President Taft. Miss Ballon will come to Montreal after a concert in New York on January 7. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Ballon, 255 Bishop Street, and one of a musical family.

SYRACUSE LODGE, KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS

The annual elections of Syracuse Lodge, No. 9, Knights of Pythias, took place on December 3, in the lodge rooms at the Morin Building. The following were elected: S. G. Bendon, chancellor; S. J. Littner, vice-chancellor; Dr. N. Freedman, prelate; H. Derabaner, keeper of records and seals; Ed. Becker, master of works; N. Littner, master of finance; M. Rosenberg, master of exchequer; P. Rivet, inner guard; C. Smith, outer guard; I. N. Goodman, custodian of properties; Dr. L. Stream, trustee.

SISTERHOOD—SPANISH AND PORTUGUESE SYNAGOGUE

The Sisterhood of the Spanish and Portuguese Synagogue met in the vestry rooms of the synagogue, 135 Stanley Street, Thursday, December 11, at 3 p.m. Tea.

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YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETY

The next meeting of the Bnai Jacob Young People's Society will be a musicale and social, November 17.

YOUNG JUDAEA OF CANADA

S. J. Rodman, executive director of Young Judaea of Canada, organized a leaders' group in Ottawa. The following will organize and lead junior clubs: Dr. Sam Mirsky, Moses Frank, I. Ellison, Josh Zivian, Benj. Fox, Pearl Goldfield, Anna Holzman. Ike Ellison is president of the leaders' council, Helen Abelson treasurer and Anna Holzman secretary. The quarter campaign for Keren Hayesod was launched in Montreal with a senior rally on December 4 and a junior rally on December 7. Chanukah celebration December 21.

RABBI ADDRESSES MEN'S BROTHERHOOD

Canada should open wide the doors of the Dominion and admit the thousands of Jews who have been made homeless in Europe by the war and its aftermath, Rabbi M. J. Merritt, of the Temple Emanu-El, told the Calvary Men's Own Brotherhood, in an address on "The Wandering Jew."

These wanderers, Rabbi Merritt declared, look upon Canada as an opportunity for life and hope, and they come to stay and build up the country. He cited examples of Jewish families that for generations had served the country, both in war and in peace, as the Harts, the Hayes, the Josephs, and the Mohrs.

MUSIC AND DRAMATIC CLUB

The Music and Dramatic Club meets at the Prince of Wales Salon, Windsor Hotel, December 14, at 3 p.m. Malca Friedaman will read a paper on "American Poets." Mildred Silverman, pianist; Mme. Fortier, soprano, accompanied by A. Laliberte; Harry Salter, violinist, and Albert Goodstone, vocalist, will give the musical programme.

DARROW-CALDER DEBATE

Robert L. Calder, former Crown prosecutor of Montreal, and Clarence S. Darrow, Chicago lawyer and criminologist, will meet in a debate, "Should capital punishment subsist in a modern criminal code?" at His Majesty's Theatre on December 21 at 3 p.m.

Y.M.H.A. NOTES

Moe Herscovitch, the physical director, has started a boxing class, which meets Monday and Wednesday evenings. Mr. Booth has charge of a wrestling class on Thursday evenings. Registration open.

Minstrel show rehearses every Monday evening. Harry Brown, Barney Tulin, Joe Horowitz, Harry Diamond and Sam Horowitz are in "Swanee Ribber."

The entertainment committee is selling tickets for the Chanukah dance, December 28. Orchestra music. Entertainers.

"Bosty" Mendelsohn, Moe Levitt, Jack Silver, Moe Rubin, I. Kert, B. Grossman, Rachelsky brothers and Beecher are with the Singers.

The Intermediates have elected "Molsha" Abramovich captain. With him are M. Binder, S. Lifshitz, Mac Katkin, S. Gelfand, Brownstein, Itel, Kates and Bellam.

The house league got off to a flying start on November 30. Teams captained by H. Maier, Sam Victor and Dave Shalinsky won the respective games. Sam Zackon and Isaac Messinger, the secretary, starred.

TEMPLE EMANU-EL

Arrangements are being made to secure Clarence Darrow as speaker for the Brotherhood dinner of December 22. Rabbi Merritt will speak on "You Gentiles" on December 12, and on "What the Jew thinks of Jesus" on December 19. The annual church parade of the Knights of Maccabees will take place at Temple Emanu-El on Chanukah, December 26.

Rev. Alan B. Shatford will address the Temple Emanu-El Sisterhood on December 16 on "Canadian Literature." Mrs. Fraser Stewart and Rex Battle contributed to the musical programme.

BARON DE HIRSCH CLUB

The Baron de Hirsch Literary and Dramatic Club meets at the home of its organizer, Miss Kate Burko, 1124 St. Urbain Street, on December 15. Phone, Bel. 5009.

GIRL GUIDE AND BOY SCOUT TROOPS

The girl guides meet every Sunday at 6.30 in the Shaar Hashmayim Synagogue under the leadership of Mrs. M. Kirsch and Miss Esther Kert. The boy scouts meet there every Monday under the leadership of Moe Kirsch, assisted by Stanley Vineberg, Gerald Pickleman. They meet at Victoria School, St. Luke Street, on Saturday evenings.

QUEEN ESTHER CHAPTER OF HADASSAH

The Queen Esther Chapter of Hadassah met at headquarters on December 8, with Mrs. I. B. and L. Trachtenberg hostesses. A soiree was planned for December 22. Musical programme. Dancing. One-half dunam of land was presented to Mrs. S. Reinlatt, who is celebrating her crystal wedding anniversary this week. A. Ginsberg won the weekly raffle. Next meeting at Zionist headquarters on December 15.

HABONIM

New members were initiated into the Order of Habonim at the meeting held at the Institute on Wednesday. Rabbi Berger presided.

KEREN HAYESOD

A meeting for canvassers who worked during Keren Hayesod campaign was held at Zionist headquarters on Thursday. Rabbi Zlotnick and S. J. Rodman presided.

JEWISH INTER-CLUB FORUM

The Y.M.H.A., Y.W.H.A., Chevra Kadisha Young People's Society, New Adath Jeshurun Young People's Circle and Dufferin School Graduates' Society will meet together once every month in the new gymnasium of the Y.M.H.A. to hear special lectures delivered by Jews. The five societies together have a membership of almost 2,500. The council of the new organization is formed of F. E. Bender, Louis Jason, Mrs. D. H. Bernstein, Esther Astorff, J. Lenoble, A. J. Levinson, Yetta Webber, Dr. Felix Bernstein, Dr. Max Toker, M. A. Fink and J. Brownstein. A. J. Levinson is the chairman, F. E. Bender, vice-chairman, Yetta Webber, secretary, and J. Brownstein, treasurer.

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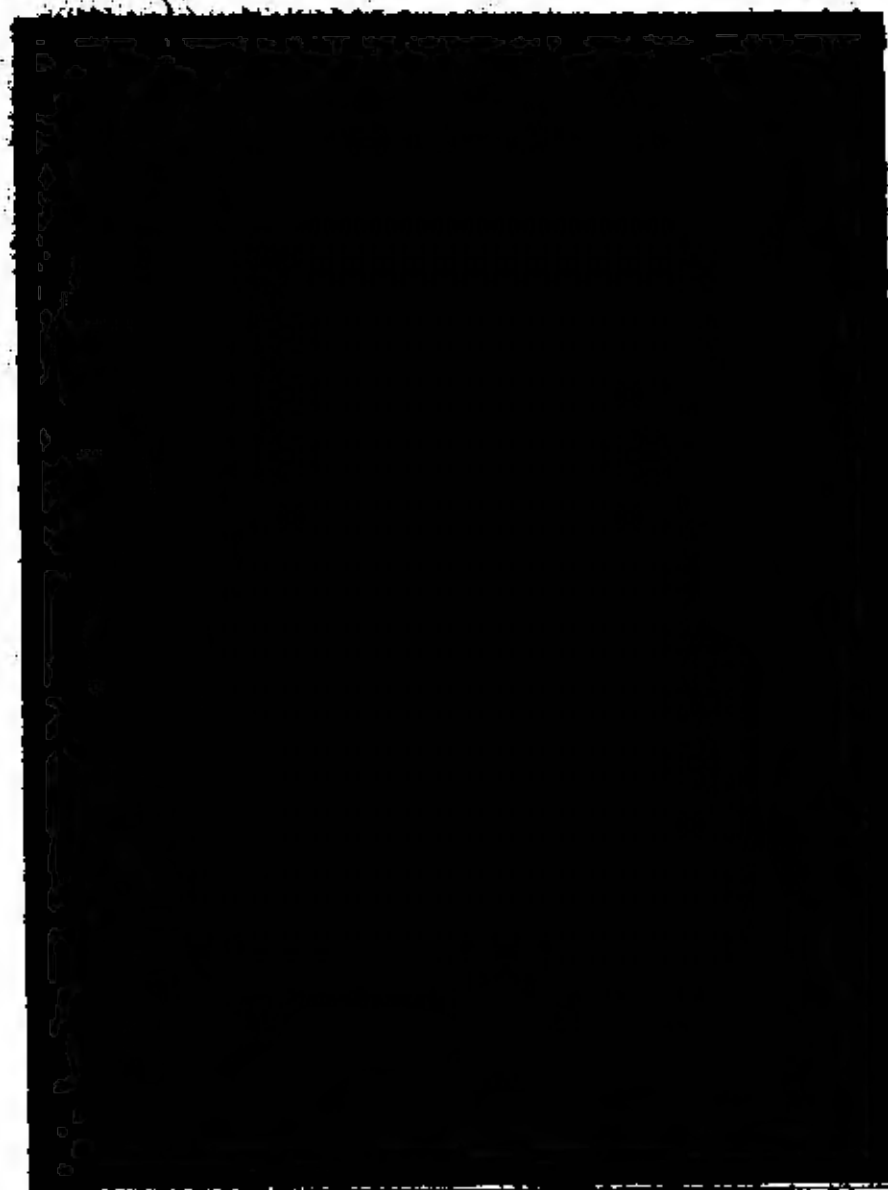
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MISS JEANETTE ENZER

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WOMEN'S AUXILIARY

The Women's Auxiliary of Shaar Hashomayim met on Thursday afternoon. Mrs. A. E. Morris read a paper on "Jewish Art and Literature." Rose Goldblatt played the piano. Freda Bessner recited. Tea.

HEBREW SHELTERING HOME

Through the efforts of Mrs. M. L. Schloman, of 3 Sussex Avenue, Montreal, and the kindness of Mr. Mitnick, manager of the Monument National, about fifteen old folks of the Hebrew Sheltering Home saw the performance given there Saturday night.

PYTHIAN SISTERS

On Monday, December 1, at the Mount Royal Hotel, Calanthe Temple, No. 1, held annual elections. The following were elected: Mrs. Glass, most excellent chief; Mrs. S. G. Bendon, most excellent, senior; Miss S. Birenbaum, most excellent junior; Miss C. Adelson, manager; Miss W. Schwisberg, M. of C. and F.; Mrs. A. Kander, M. of R. and C.; Miss A. Adelson, protection; Mrs. E. Barsky, outer guard; Miss Kate Rhor, trustee (three years); Miss Mollie Katz, press correspondent; Miss Esther Smith, pianist.

The new bowling league meets every Wednesday night.

Mrs. B. Schaffer, 97 St. Joseph Boulevard West, was hostess at a card party held by the Calanthe Temple, No. 1, November 27. Bridge, five hundred and pinocle were played. Geo. I. Payne won at bridge. Refreshments.

DAUGHTERS OF JUDAH

The Daughters of Judaea met at the home of Miss Claire Firestone, on December 1, to plan Keren Hayesod work. A raffle donated by Miss Fanny Rashkin was won by Miss Claire Firestone.

MIZPAH CHAPTER

Mizpah chapter met at the home of Miss Rae Catkin, 1959 Janne Mance, Tuesday, December 2. In the absence of Miss Gertrude Lerner, president; Miss Rae L. Marks, vice-president, president. Mrs. Spigel sang and Miss...

Sherbrooke, Que.

Miss Edith Harris, Montreal, who has been the guest of Mrs. Jack Kushner, Sherbrooke, Que., has returned home. Among those who entertained in honour of Miss Harris were: Mrs. Jack Kushner, tea, bridge and theatre party; Mrs. David Echenberg, tea, bridge; Mrs. Beck Eidlow and Mrs. Samuel W. Smith, joint hostesses at a house party; Mrs. Joe Schwartz, bridge; Mrs. Louis Echenberg, bridge; Mrs. Joe Rosenbloom, bridge and musicale.

Mrs. Mittleman and Mrs. Pollack were joint hostesses at a bridge and tea given in the vestry rooms of the synagogue.

Abraham D. Smith spent the weekend in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Echenberg, Prospect Street, left for Montreal.

Miss Leah Echenberg is now living in Montreal.

David Echenberg returned home after an extended business trip through the States.

Mrs. Maxe Weinstein entertained informally last Sunday evening.

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CONGREGATION—ANSHE SHOLOM

Friday night services, sermon: "Out of Struggle, Blessings."

Saturday morning service, talk: "Not Always Do Numbers Count."

Wednesday night Rabbi Freund was one of the speakers at the supper tendered to the Keren Hayesod Committee at the Beth Jacob Synagogue. David Sweet, chairman of the Keren Hayesod campaign, presided.

Thursday night the executive committee of the Men's Club of Anshe Shalom met at the home of Louis Mack. Those present were: Messrs. Joseph Sweet, M. Levi, M. Silverman,

Social Life about 25 Years Ago— Do You Remember?—

Rabbi Lazarus, of the Holy Blossom Synagogue, was going to a pulpit in Houston, Texas, and at a meeting of the Literary was presented with a travelling bag. Mrs. Lazarus was given a bouquet of roses.

The Jewish Immigration Society, of St. John, N.B., elected the following officers: B. Kominsky, president; Rabbi Garrovitch, secretary-treasurer; B. Myers, M. Marcus, D. Kominsky, trustees. The Society had 36 members and during the year helped 162 immigrants. Montrealers visiting in St. John were Louis Samenhof, D. Schloman, M. Michalson, A. Marks, J. Missel and L. Jacobs.

The Montefiore Club of Montreal heard a paper by M. Hirsch on "My Experience as a Retailer," and a discussion took place at the same meeting on "The Probability of an Anglo-American Alliance and its Effect Upon the Peace of the World." Fischel Ship, of Montreal, was appointed a justice of the peace by the provincial government. Moses Vineberg admitted to partnership his son, A. M. Vineberg, and Isaac Friedman, an employee. Mrs. S. Levinson was visiting in New York.

One hundred and twenty-five couples attended the Charity Ball, in Foresters' Hall, Toronto. F. D. Benjamin was chairman of the committee, S. Singer his assistant. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Benjamin, Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. Benjamin, Mr. and Mrs. S. Samuel, Mrs. H. G. Levett, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. L. Rosenthal.

Mr. and Mrs. William Goldstein, Mrs. Stern and Edward Youngheart, of Toronto, and Felix Louis and Mr. Simon, of London, Ont., attended a Montefiore social in Montreal. Miss Hanna Lehrer and Aaron Goldner were married at the Chenneville Street Synagogue, Montreal, and received later at Conservatory Hall, Ste. Catherine Street. Miss Tillie Lesser, daughter of Moses Lesser, was married to Maurice B. Steine. The reception was held at the home of H. Ratenburg, Shuter Street, uncle of the bride.

Louis Mack, Julius Lyons and Rabbi Freund. Meeting December 14 in the vestry rooms. The Rabbi will speak. Regular monthly meeting at the Royal Connaught, formal.

Sunday noon the Rabbi addressed the Deborah Society of Anshe Shalom at their regular monthly meeting on "Chanukah, Its Special Interest to Women."

The regular congregational meeting of Anshe Shalom was held Sunday morning.

The Alpha Gamma Chi Sorority held an elaborate formal dance Sunday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Minden. On Tuesday noon Rabbi Freund addressed the Sisterhood of the Holy Blossom Congregation of Toronto.

Miss Molly Treister was hostess at a house dance on Saturday evening, November 29, at her home, 65 Spadina Avenue. The rooms were decorated, and an orchestra played. The guests included Misses Ann Scher, Bertha Palter, Toronto; Francis and Esther Tick, Rose Fauman, Francis Glass, Bessye Schreiber, Freda Stein, Lillian Blumenthal, Jessye Levine, Fanny Seltzer, Francis and Molly Treister and J. Scher, Mac Lewis, H. Chaplin, M. Keyfetz, S. Ross, J. Wolfe, F. Palter, all of Toronto; G. Goldblatt, B. Herschman, J. Lewis, W. Schreiber, H. Bellicks, A. Walters, S. Shapiro, Buffalo; J. Shapiro.

B.J.S.C.

The regular fortnightly meeting of the B.J.S.C. was held Sunday, December 7. Reports from the bowling and literary committees. Prizes awarded to Abe Walters, former president, and Miss Miss F. Tick, former secretary.

Misses Chelnitsky, Seltzer, Mulligan and Blackman entertained, accompanied by Miss F. Seltzer at the piano.

The cabaret extravaganza will be held Thursday, December 25, dancing, 9-1.

Entertainment committee wants to hear from out-of-town talent.

ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. A. Tick announce the engagement of their elder daughter, Esther, to Frank Palter, third son of Mrs. Palter and the late Mr. S. Palter, of Toronto.

"Between the devil and the deep sea," is a phrase, but it fittingly describes the situation in which half a million Jews find themselves in Transylvania, formerly a part of Hungary and now annexed to Roumania. The Roumanian paper, "Infratirea," attacks the "Ujkelet," organ of the Zionists in Transylvania, because it is published in the Hungarian language. The Jews in Transylvania are Hungarian Irredentists. The Hungarian anti-Semites constantly criticize the Jews in Transylvania, alleging that they abandoned their loyalty to Hungary immediately after the province was annexed to Roumania. Actually, the "Ujkelet" opposes Hungarian culture, urging the Jews in Transylvania to adopt Hebrew culture.

A new ritual murder tale is connection, not with Passover, but with the High Holidays, is charged by the Vienna Hakenkreuzler labour press against the Chaluzim. Two weeks ago an apprentice boy, Gruschel, was found dead, his body butchered. Police medical experts established that he had been bitten by dogs. The anti-Semitic papers, however, charged that he had been killed by Chaluzim on their way to Palestine.

OTTAWA

Miss Mildred Gordon, of Montreal, is visiting with her aunt, Mrs. B. Benwick.

Miss Sara Golub, of Montreal, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Golub.

Miss Bertha Slonemsky has returned after spending three weeks visiting relatives in London, Hamilton and Toronto.

I. Lewis is visiting his brother, David H. Lewis, at the Lennox Apartments in Montreal, for a few days.

Samuel Lepofsky spent last week-end visiting his parents in Toronto.

Miss Florence Sugarman entertained a number of friends at her home one evening last week.

Miss Fannie Feller entertained the members of the Primrose Club at her home Tuesday evening of last week.

Mrs. A. Borts entertained at a crystal shower last Sunday evening in honour of Miss Sarah Horwitz, whose marriage takes place early in January.

Mrs. A. Pinco and daughter, Miss Maxine Pinco, spent last week-end at Kirk's Ferry, Que.

Mrs. M. Shenkman was hostess at the Senior Hadassah tea last Tuesday.

Mrs. Harry Edelstein entertained at her home one evening in honour of her sister, Miss Miriam Hollander, prior to her departure for Pittsburg.

Mrs. Charles Kert was hostess at an at home Wednesday afternoon of last week when she received in honour of her mother, Mrs. S. Kulber, of Montreal. The tea table centred with yellow baby mums and white narcissi was presided over by Mrs. J. J. Marks. Mrs. Jess cut the ices. They were assisted by Mrs. A. Slone, Mrs. Wm. Holzman and Miss Helen Abelson. Mrs. M. B. Margosches sang and Mrs. A. Pinco played the piano.

Mrs. M. B. Margosches entertained at a birthday party in honour of her younger daughter, Miss Sylvia. Fifty children were present. The rooms and tea table were adorned with flowers. Dutch dolls, smilax and a four-storey birthday cake. Songs, recitations and dances were given. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. L. Fine, Mrs. Gordon Livingstone and Misses Helen Wener, Lillian Gould, Sylvia Saipie and Marjorie Margosches. Novelty Japanese musical shells were souvenirs.

YOUNG JUDEAN LEADERS ORGANIZE

S. K. Rodman, of Montreal, director of the Young Judean Movement for Canada, organized the Young Judean Leaders of Ottawa at a meeting Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Freiman. Officers elected were: the honorary president, A. J. Freiman; president, I. M. Ellenson; vice-president, Miss Faye Zivian; secretary, Miss Anne Holzman; treasurer, Miss Helen Abelson; executive members—Mr. Franks, Ben Fox, Dr. J. Rubenstein, Nate Abelson, Ralph Pearl, Myer Vechsler, Josh Zivian, Pearl Goldfield, Gordon Caplan, and Ben Edelson. Small groups will be formed.

JUNIOR HADASSAH BOX SOCIAL

Miss Beck Drazin and Miss Freda Lewis were general conveners of a box social and dance Thursday evening of last week, in the Racquet Court, by the Junior Hadassah. Patronesses were: Mrs. H. Rozenes, Mrs. A. J. Freiman and Mrs. A. H. Coplan. Guests were received by Miss Olive Pullan, the president; Misses Ann Golub and

Jean Ross. In charge of the refreshments were: Mrs. I. Rosenthal, Mrs. H. Shohet and Miss Sarah Greenberg. Box conveners were Misses Freda Lewis, Faye Zivian and Sylvia Dover.

HELP KEREN HAYESOD

A special meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Rideau Street Synagogue was held at the home of Mrs. M. B. Margosches to see the illuminated memorial to be presented to the family of the late Mrs. Sarah Finkelstein. Mrs. Finkelstein, who was vice-president of the organization at the time of her death, had been a member since its inception ten years ago. The memorial, which is the work of Rev. Geo. Bousfield, was approved. The pledge of twenty-five dollars toward the Keren Hayesod was ratified and a cheque issued to cover that amount.

Refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. A. H. Coplan presided at the table, assisted by Misses Bessie Tapley and M. Slone.

JEWISH PEOPLE'S INSTITUTE

Money was collected for the Keren Hayesod Zion night recently at the Jewish People's Institute under the auspices of the Jewish Workers' Alliance, Dr. Herzl branch. D. Slover, Sam Drachler, H. Simonoff, D. Green, Mrs. D. Green, Misses Shuster, Kataman, Greenberg and Mortimer took part.

A tablet was presented by Louis Epstein, captain of captains of the Keren Hayesod campaign, to the local Alliance Team No. 4, under Messrs. D. Slover and L. Drachler, winning team.

JUNIOR HADASSAH TEA

Miss Pauline Gould was hostess at the Junior Hadassah tea last Sunday. S. K. Rodman, of Montreal, Director of the Young Judean movement of Canada, spoke. The tea table, centred with carnations, was presided over by Mrs. E. Slonemsky, assisted by Misses Sylvia and Thelma Dover, Jean Ross, Rose Max, Lessie Caplan, Beck Sugarman, Esther Richter, Bea and Anne Slonemsky. Out-of-town guests were Miss Anne Finsten, of Toronto, Misses Mildred Gordon and Sara Golub, of Montreal. The guests were received by the hostess and money by Miss Jean Ross. A vote of thanks to the speaker was extended by Miss Blanche Millar.

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. B. Finkle, on Wednesday, December 3, at the Ottawa Maternity Hospital, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Freedman, 58 Sweetland Avenue, a daughter.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. M. Goldfield and family thank relatives and friends for expressions of sympathy during their recent bereavement.

REGINA

The three candidates for mayor addressed a gathering of Jewry at the Hebrew School Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Harry Stock entertained Tuesday evening. Miss Clare Stock assisted her mother and played the piano.

The Talmud Torah band times dance took place Thursday evening. H. A. Berovich and Dr. B. I. Gitterman were in charge.

In compliment to Miss Fanny Barish, of Wapella, bride-elect of this month, Mrs. William Natanson gave a theatre party, Thursday afternoon, assisted by Mrs. S. Zalkind and Mrs. S. Kovsky, who did the tea honours, and Mrs. D. B. Kliman, Mrs. Frank Paull and Mrs. Harry Kahn. Guests were: Mrs. B. Zurif, Mrs. M. Helman, Mrs. Schiller, Miss Barish, Mrs. A. H. Friedgut, Mrs.

Yarid Notes

The Yarid Committee met at the home of Mrs. Dunkelman last Sunday afternoon. Mrs. M. L. Willinsky, general convener of the Yarid, announced that the entire basement, ground floor, balcony and second floor at 384-386 Yonge Street had been secured for next Wednesday morning, afternoon and evening and that merchandise would be displayed and sold on the ground floor; that a bridge would be held and supper served on the balcony, and the entire second floor would be reserved for the cabaret and dance.

Booths allotted: aluminum, aprons, bridge prizes, candy and pastry, candles, canned goods, departmental store, dolls and toys, dairy, drug store, electric fixtures, furs and ladies' wear, flowers, furniture, gift shop, handkerchiefs, hardware and auto accessories, infants' wear, linen shop, lukshen and bread, Palestinian fruits, tobacco, vanity and white elephant, in addition to ice cream, high tea, Dutch eats, games, mascot jockeys, etc.

Shmelnitzky, Mrs. Reinhorn, Mrs. Wm. Pechet, Mrs. T. Lesk, Mrs. Sandomirsky, Mrs. I. Friedgut, Mrs. Eddie Kalef, Mrs. D. B. Kliman, Mrs. M. Samavitch, Mrs. M. Prosterman, Mrs. N. Prosterman, Mrs. H. Isman, Mrs. B. Finkelstein, Mrs. B. Dechter, Mrs. R. Leob, Mrs. I. Finkelstein, Mrs. D. Gallaman, Mrs. J. Gordon, Mrs. Abrams, Mrs. S. Zalkind, Mrs. S. Kovsky, Mrs. Segal, Mrs. Harry Kahn, Mrs. Frank Paull, Mrs. Natanson, Sr., and Mrs. Paull, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Gallaman, formerly of Moose Jaw, are living on Sixteenth Avenue here.

Miss Fanny Barish is the guest of Miss Tilly Segal, St. John Street.

Miss P. Helman gave a sewing circle, Wednesday evening at her home. About twenty guests were invited.

Mrs. Ben Finkelstein entertained at her home at five tables of bridge. The prizes were won by Mrs. Z. Natanson, H. Isman and Wm. Pechet. The hostess was assisted in serving by her sisters, Misses Ida and Rebecca Zoninfeld. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. H. Isman, Mr. and Mrs. M. Prosterman, Mr. and Mrs. H. Cooperman, Mr. and Mrs. Z. Natanson, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Pechet, Mr. and Mrs. M. Kovsky, Mr. and Mrs. H. Zoninfeld, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Schiller, Mr. and Mrs. M. Samovitch, Mr. and Mrs. R. Finkelstein, Mr. and Mrs. N. Prosterman, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Finkelstein; Misses Ida and Rebecca Zoninfeld.

WINNIPEG

Monday evening, December 1, the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Winnipeg Talmud Torahs were at home to all members and their friends in the auditorium of the Winnipeg Hebrew Free School. Mrs. A. Slobinsky, president, was chairlady. Addresses were given by the guests of honour, S. A. Berg, president of the Talmud Torahs; H. L. Weidman, chairman of Board of Education; M. Finkelstein, chairman of legislation committee; Mr. Levitt, principal of the Talmud Torahs, and Mrs. S. Salzman, hon. vice-president of the Ladies' Auxiliary. Arrangements were made for a bazaar to be held in March, of which Mrs. M. Weidman, past president of the Ladies' Auxiliary was elected convener by acclamation. Refreshments were served to 400 guests, and a reading was given by Miss R. Badonis, teacher of the Talmud Torah.

Mrs. M. Fingerote, Cathedral Avenue, entertained in honour of Miss Bessie Ruskin, a bride-elect of this month. Prize-winners at bridge were: First prize, Mrs. D. Lambert; second, Mrs. H. Danaberg; consolation, Mrs. P. Myra.

A shower for the doll booth of the Yarid held at the home of Mrs. Norman Helpert last Monday afternoon, realized over five hundred dolls in addition to cash donations for the booth.

A large bridge and shower for the bridge prize booth was held at the Zionist Institute last Monday afternoon.

A meeting of the Yarid Committee of the Herzl Girls was held at the Zionist Institute to make arrangements for the Dutch booth taken by the Chapter.

A meeting of the Deborah Chapter was held at the home of Miss Ellenson last Tuesday evening. The report of the shower held at the home of Mrs. Rappaport on Sunday, November 30, was presented. The Chapter is holding another shower for members only next Monday for the drug booth of the Yarid which has been taken by the Chapter.

A meeting of the Hadassah Council was held at the Zionist Institute last Thursday evening. Reports on the Women's Keren Hayesod Campaign and the Yarid were presented. It was unanimously decided that the Hadassah Chapters participate in the Talmud Torah Campaign next January. It was decided that the rally of all Keren Hayesod and Yarid workers take place on Sunday evening, December 28, and that the next joint Hadassah meeting take the form of a reception for non-Zionist and Gentile friends who have recently visited Palestine. A committee was formed to inquire into individual Chapter reorganization and Council constitutional changes.

The members of the Naomi Chapter are meeting on alternate evenings to make fancy candy boxes for their booth at the Yarid. Mrs. S. Kronick is giving her home for a candy shower next Sunday afternoon and evening.

The Deborah Chapter of Hadassah held a shower for the drug booth of the Hadassah Yarid, at the home of Miss Freda Cohen. Miss Lillian Papernick assisted in receiving. Miss Fanny Panasky poured tea, assisted by Misses Nellie Cohen and Lena Goldstein.

A towel shower will be held at the home of Miss A. E. Rosenberg, 243 Palmerston Boulevard, for the store, Sunday next, 2 to 7.

A general shower for the department store of the Hadassah Yarid will be held at the home of Mrs. Shapiro, 104 Beatrice Street, Sunday next, from 2 to 7. Mrs. Stern will hold a shower for the department store on Sunday next, 2 to 7, at her home, 224 Palmerston Avenue, and another shower for the store will be held at the home of Mrs. V. Finstein, 18 Wells Hill Avenue.

The Woodbine races, under the auspices of the Mascots, will take place at the Yarid. Twelve horses will run: Man o' War, Honey Dew, Spark Plug, Matrimony, Tel-Aviv, Nahiel, Hatikvah, Hoot Mon, Hottentot, Zev, Epinard, Exterminator. Choose your horse now and give your bet to a jockey. Prizes will be given to the winning horse. The Mascots held two showers on Sunday last at the homes of Helen Hershman and Edna Clavir. A prize shower will be held at the home of Theresa Harris, 103 Wells Hill Avenue. Girls invited.

Central Chapter of Hadassah met at the Zionist Institute on Monday last, Mrs. L. M. Schwartz presiding. Mrs. E. Palter, who has recently returned from Palestine, talked on her impressions. Mrs. D. Dunkelman moved a vote of thanks to the speaker, seconded by Mrs. M. H. Levy. Reports were given by the conveners of the vanity booth and department store. Tea was served by the convener, Mrs. H. Kamarnier, assisted by Mrs. L. Kamarnier, Mrs. Wolfish, Mrs. Selick, Mrs. Soltz, Mrs. Weinstein, Mrs. Posen and Mrs. Rogul. A shower will be held at the home of Mrs. V. Finsten, 18 Wells Hill.

JUNIOR HADASSAH

A bridge and whist was held at the Zionist Institute on Sunday last. The prize-winners were Misses Anna Greenman, Esther Solomon, Dolly Levinsky and S. Glick.

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PERSONS TALKED ABOUT

Stanley Baldwin, new British Prime Minister, is determined that England shall not intervene in Arabic and Moslem squabbles now raging among these peoples.

Eighty-four delegates were present at the World Conference of the Agudath Israel, which was held at Cracow. The Agudath is sending a delegation of prominent rabbis to the United States with the object of inaugurating a religious revival here.

Joseph Pilsudsky, formerly leader of the terrorist band of the Polish socialistic party and the first Chief of State of the resurrected Polish Republic, had an opportunity of proclaiming himself King of Poland in 1918 when he stood before the Polish Constitution Assembly, according to the paper, "Pro Patria," organ of the Polish monarchists. The paper, after making an historical survey of the dynasty formed in the last few centuries, reaches the conclusion that it would not be an anachronism were Pilsudsky to proclaim himself king of Poland and renew the Polish monarchistic tradition. The only ones who are responsible for the non-occurrence of this possibility are the Jews.

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It lends money to the small merchant or business man, to the widow who endeavours to make a livelihood by running a grocery, etc., to the mechanic for buying material or tools to go on with his work. Since February, 1923, starting with \$5,500 it loaned out \$244.50 which means that the capital has changed hands over four times. From 475 applications made 375 were approved by the board, the smallest loan being \$20; largest, \$200; average, \$60. The amount of losses was negligible. In a few cases the guarantors paid, but the fund proper did not suffer.

The Free Loan is a city-wide institution, and embraces all Jews of all sorts and shades of opinion.

Officers are: president, S. Kronick; vice-president, Ald. L. Phillips; treasurer, E. Pullan; investigator, D. Lavine; board of directors, B. Weiss, Dr. M. Pivnick, Charles Garfunkel, Abraham Cohen, S. Harris, L. Gelber, H. Mendelsohn, J. Schwartz, M. Gelber, N. Smith, L. M. Singer, D. Dunkelman, J. Becker.

ZIONIST PLAYERS

The Zionist Dramatic Community Players are giving their first entertainment, a comedy sketch called "Coax Me," playlet, "Homeland," and dance Wednesday evening, January 7, at the Goel Tzedek Synagogue vestry rooms.

JUNIOR COUNCIL

Junior Council of Jewish Women bridge Sunday, 3 p.m., at Community House, 44 St. George Street. Friends invited.

WOMEN'S CHORAL SOCIETY

The Young Hebrew Women's Choral Society commences its fifth season on Tuesday, December 16. Membership open. Phone secretary-treasurer, Tr. 4029 or Tr. 9004J. The Society met at the Y.M.H.A. Building, Thursday, December 4, Miss Shummer presiding. Last year's standing of the choir, which was under the leadership of Mrs. E. Dworkin, was given. This year's plans were outlined. Meetings December 16 and 18, at the Y.M.H.A. Building.

DIANA GIRLS

A candle and soap shower was held at the home of Miss Bertha Eisner's, 212 Brunswick Avenue, on Sunday, December 7, for the Hadassah Yairid. 500 candles and soap were received. About seventy-five people were present. Refreshments. An orchestra played.

DAUGHTERS OF ISRAEL

A charity show was given on Tuesday night, December 2, at the Standard Theatre by the Daughters of Israel Society.

This was the third annual show of the Society in aid of the poor. Last year a number of families were given food, clothing and coal.

The theatre performance was given after an address by B. Nathanson.

The president of the organization, Mrs. H. Allen, was presented with a bouquet of flowers. Officers and members of the Daughters of Israel Society expressed their appreciation to those who helped.

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Y.M.H.A. Theatre Benefit

Next Tuesday evening, December 16, Loew's Uptown Theatre will be taken over by the Y.M.H.A. for a benefit performance of the comedy, "Judy Drops in," by the Vaughan Glaser Players. The play centers around Judy, a lady who, through a series of circumstances, is forced to "drop in" at the bachelor apartment of three Greenwich Villageites in New York. What happens to Judy will be seen by patrons of the "Y" who give their support to meeting the current deficit for the year's work at the "Y." The theatre holds three thousand (3,000) seats and an over-subscription is anticipated. The members of the board of directors during the past week have been working on a souvenir journal for theatre night.

Although known as the Y.M.H.A. and the Y.W.H.A., the "Y" functions as a community centre, where not only the young men and young women and the junior boys and girls carry on their activities, but where the adults also find means for recreation and entertainment.

The Sunday evening literary meetings have taxed the limited quarters of the "Y" to their utmost, and hundreds have frequently been turned away for lack of seating accommodation. The local boys have been repeated victors in debating and oratorical contests with the Buffalo, Rochester, Hamilton and other associations. The "Y" has twelve cups, as well as a number of shields and banners, won in various amateur contests of basketball, baseball and rugby. These victories were won not only from other Y.M.H.A.'s, but also in city-wide and inter-city competition with Y.M.C.A.'s and similar groups. The young women have been successful in basketball competition and have been active in other fields of sport and recreation.

FEDERATED SOCIETIES

At a general meeting of the Federated Societies and Synagogues of Toronto, Delegate Spegal presided, and acted as installing officer. He installed Delegate Gwartzman as president and Delegate Spegal himself was installed by Delegate Gwartzman. Delegate Samuels, treasurer; Delegate Hornick, secretary; Delegates Teich, Weintraub, Jacobs, Fingerhut, Phillips, Tobias and Smith were introduced as the executive body. Several pioneers were present. Twenty-five societies and synagogues were represented. Refreshments.

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The Toronto Hebrew Free School campaign for the completion of its new building and for an annual subscribing membership will be held during the last week in January, instead of earlier in the month, as recently announced. This was decided at a conference of communal leaders, held at the home of M. Gelber, chairman of the building fund committee, on Monday evening. This conference, while unofficial, consisted of officers of the leading congregations and Jewish organizations in Toronto. A resolution was unanimously adopted by the meeting, that the plans of the campaign committee be endorsed, and that efforts be made to secure the co-operation of the congregations and fraternal societies. A speakers' committee was appointed, headed by J. J. Glass, barrister, and Dr. M. Pivnick.

Among those present at the meeting were: Sam Kronick, M. Clavir, J. J. Glass, D. Dunkelman, N. Smith, M. Muscovich, I. Lieberman, M. Ellenberg, O. Maldober, B. Goodman, Hyman Danziger, A. Berger, A. Rubenstein, M. Schwartz, C. Garfunkel, W. Leibel, Dr. M. Pivnik, Jos. Samuels, H. Mendelson, P. James, G. Kling, J. Bochnick and M. Gelber, chairman.

At a meeting of the Hadassah Council held last week, a resolution was unanimously adopted, pledging the support of all the Toronto Chapters of Hadassah toward the Building Fund Campaign.

The Latvian government has issued an order permitting a considerable number of Russian Jewish refugees to remain in the country until January, 1925. The majority of refugees holding American visas are unable to proceed to their destination because of the new immigration laws of the United States and they are unable to return to their homes.

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Municipal Judge Samuel H. Silbert of Cleveland was elevated to the Common Pleas bench in the recent elections. An overwhelming vote in his favour developed despite the anonymous Ku Klux-like postal card campaign that was directed against him.

Rabbi Jonah B. Wise has been elected for life Rabbi of Temple Beth Israel, Portland, Ore., at a salary of \$12,000 a year. The congregation, whose house of worship was partly destroyed by fire some time ago, is building a handsome new house of worship. Rabbi Wise is a son of the late Rabbi Isaac M. Wise.

CONGREGATIONAL

HOLY BLOSSOM HEBREW CONGREGATION, BOND STREET

Friday Evening Lectures

Rabbi Brickner's subject Friday evening, December 12, at 8.15 will be "The Mastery of Life," a discussion of the question, what should be our fundamental attitude towards life itself and how this attitude influences our thinking and conduct. The professional choir renders traditional Jewish music at these services.

Sabbath Services

December 13, 10.15 a.m., sermon: "Jacob and Esau" or Jew and Gentile.

Monday Club

Monday Club meets December 22. Book to be read: Forster's "A Voyage to India."

Religious Free School

The Religious Free School, conducted under the joint auspices of the Sisterhoods of the Holy Blossom and Men of England Synagogues had registration last Sunday of over 250 girls. The school, with Edmund Scheuer, principal, meets in the Men of England Synagogue Sunday mornings from 10 to 12. Tuition is free to girls between the ages of seven and fourteen years.

Sisterhood

Rabbi Iser Freund, newly elected rabbi of Anshe Shalom Congregation of Hamilton, spoke on Chanukah before the monthly meeting of the Sisterhood, Tuesday afternoon, December 9.

Reports were given by Mrs. Herbert Nussbaum, convener of the scholarship committee; Mrs. Harry Marks, convener of religious education; Mrs. Fred. L. Levenston, convener of the Monday Club; Mrs. Percy Hermant, convener of the ball; and Mrs. B. R. Brickner, for the child study group.

GOEL TZEDEK SYNAGOGUE

Women's Auxiliary

The Women's Auxiliary met in the synagogue chambers Monday evening, December 8, with the president, Mrs. Samuels, in the chair. The report of the food sale was read by the general convener, Mrs. Bert Lavigne.

The annual banquet was discussed. Proceeds of food sale go to help finish paying for the renovation of synagogue chambers.

Mrs. Leslie Bunday, president of the Local Council of Women, spoke. The vote of thanks to the speaker was moved by Mrs. A. Andrews, seconded by Mrs. S. Helpert. Mrs. Segel made an appeal for the Y.M.H.A. theatre night.

The pure food sale of the McCaul Street Synagogue was announced. Refreshments. Hostesses: Mrs. Bertha Lavigne, Mrs. M. Barrett, Mrs. B. Speyer, Mrs. Mirochnick.

Preparations are being made for the coming visit of Rabbi S. M. Cohen, of the Women's League of United Synagogues, New York, on Sunday evening, December 21, at 8 p.m., at the University Avenue Synagogue.

Food Sale

Goel Tzedek food sale had as general convener Mrs. Bertha D. Lavigne. Tea and coffee, conveners, Mrs. A. Levin, Mrs. Messinger, Mrs. Rotstein, Mrs. Kling; meat and fish, conveners, Mrs. Lieberman, Mrs. P. James, Mrs. S. Simonsky, Mrs. L. Gekker; candy, conveners, Mrs. S. Loren, Mrs. Schlusser; canned fruit, conveners, Mrs. Kopman, Mrs. S. Caplan, Mrs. Miller; towels and aprons, conveners, Mrs. H. Rosen, Mrs. J. Stein, Mrs. D. Cash; bread and

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noodles, conveners, Mrs. S. Himel, Mrs. J. Samuel, Mrs. Lewis; dairy, conveners, Mrs. Forer, Mrs. Rosenber, Mrs. Kurta; fresh fruit, conveners, Mrs. H. Hoff, Mrs. Oelbaum, Miss Feinsod, Miss Goldsmith; cakes, conveners, Mrs. D. Brown, Mrs. Hershberg, Mrs. J. Andrews; Dutch booth, conveners, Mrs. Peterman, Mrs. Mirochnick; dinner committee, conveners, Mrs. D. Stein, Mrs. L. Smith; refreshments, conveners, Mrs. F. Stein, Mrs. M. Soren; raffle committee, conveners, Mrs. I. Siegel, Mrs. H. Ruben; publicity committee, Mrs. M. S. Till, Mrs. M. Barrett, Mrs. A. Samuel; treasurers, Mrs. Lavine, Mrs. L. M. Schwartz, Harry Pullan. The Women's Auxiliary netted \$513.27, which will be turned over to the renovation fund.

HEBREW MEN OF ENGLAND

Y.P.C.

Y.P.C. of the Hebrew Men of England met Thursday, December 5, at 8.30 p.m., at the London Synagogue. Refreshments and a dance followed. A debate took place between J. Kanarick and R. Dennis.

MCCAUL STREET SYNAGOGUE

Young People's Society

An open meeting was held on Sunday last in the synagogue chambers to hear a debate, "Resolved, that a more modern form of Judaism should be practised by the orthodox youth of today." Misses Jennie Papernick and Thelma Goldberg, affirmative; Manuel Godfrey and Dr. A. D. Smith, negative. Refreshments, dancing.

HEBREW BENEVOLENT AUXILIARY

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the T.H.B.S. met at the Men of England Synagogue, Monday, December 1. Officers elected: president, Mrs. L. Slotkin; vice-president, Mrs. S. Smith; treasurer, Mrs. J. Goodman; finance secretary, Mrs. H. Deitchman; recording secretary, Mrs. G. Krugel; trustees—Mrs. M. Dubinsky, Mrs. E. Bargman, Mrs. Litovitz; board of directors—Mrs. J. Simon, Mrs. E. Sturman, Mrs. R. Brody, Mrs. B. Papish, Mrs. Sher, Mrs. Goldstein; sergeant at arms, Mrs. Goldstein.

JEWISH BOYS' CLUB

Last Thursday the physical training classes of the Junction branch were started in the gymnasium of Runnymede School with over fifty boys present.

An inter-group debating contest has been arranged, with two series, senior and junior. The qualifying rounds will be held on the regular group nights, and the finals will take place toward the end of December at a meeting of the Mentors' Club. M. M. Cohen and M. E. Williams, who were in Chicago attending the International Boy Work Conference, have returned with new ideas and new models for the toy shop.

Traces of an earlier Hebrew original of the Gospel of St. John, generally believed by scholars to have been written in Greek about the year 100 A.D., have been found by the Rev. Dr. James Alan Montgomery, professor of Semitics at the University of Pennsylvania. From these traces Dr. Montgomery is attempting to reconstruct the Jewish background of the early Christian movement. If the professor's conclusions are accepted by scholars, they will necessitate a revision of much of the supposed history of the gospel period.

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NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the first meeting of creditors in the above estate will be held at the Court House, in the Town of Sudbury, Ontario, on Wednesday, the 17th day of December, 1924, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon.

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AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that if you have any claim against the debtor for which you are entitled to rank, proof of such claim must be filed with me within thirty days from the date of this notice, for, from and after the expiration of the time fixed by subsection 8 of section 37 of the said Act, I shall distribute the proceeds of the debtor's estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which I have then notice.

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HUMPHREY COLQUHOUN,

Custodian.

Please forward claims and proxies to Humphrey Colquhoun, 33 Scott Street, Toronto, Ont.

Joseph Rosenthal, Egyptian labour leader, was expelled from Egypt by the government of Said Zaghal Pasha without a trial. Joseph Rosenthal is an Egyptian citizen, a Jew born in Palestine. None of the foreign consuls in Egypt agreed to have Rosenthal sent to his country except the representative of Russia. Rosenthal has been expelled from Egypt.

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Mr. and Mrs. Avenue, have returned to Ind., where they and son-in-law, Brodey.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hill Road

Mrs. Charles enue, received the latest in prom theatre night, at Thursday during

Mr. and Mrs. Wick Avenue, returned to York.

Mrs. A. I. Will entertained at the honour of her sister of New York.

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Mr. and Mrs. returned from Europe to attend wedding, on Tuesday

Miss Rose H. visiting Mrs. L.

TORONTO SOCIAL

All Society Items and other local notes should be communicated to the office of the Review by 8 o'clock each Tuesday afternoon in order to appear in the current week's issue. Wedding and engagement announcements will not be printed unless they bear the telephone number of the sender. Telephone Adelaide 7628-7629.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Cohen, Madison Avenue, have returned home from Gary, Ind., where they visited their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. David Brodey.

Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Nathanson, Russell Hill Road, are in New York.

Mrs. Charles Draimin, Howland Avenue, received the ladies who are interested in promoting the Y.M.H.A. theatre night, at the Primrose Club, on Thursday during the tea hour.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Hutner, Brunswick Avenue, returned home from New York.

Mrs. A. J. Willinsky, Madison Avenue, entertained at bridge on Friday last in honour of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Lisson, of New York.

Mrs. A. Rosenthal and daughter, Janice, Russell Hill Road, have returned home from Syracuse.

T. Baruch, Humewood Gardens, is spending a few days in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Meyer Rotenberg have returned from their honeymoon in Europe to attend the Rotenberg-Lavine wedding, on Tuesday.

Miss Rose Hirsch, of Montreal, is visiting Mrs. L. Jacobs, Indian Road.

Miss Janice Rosenthal, Russell Hill Road, left Thursday for Montreal to attend the dance given by Miss Dorothy Frieman at the Mount Royal Hotel and will be the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Clarence Michaels.

Miss Rita Samuels, Palmerston Boulevard, is visiting in New York and Newark, N.J.

Mrs. J. Ross, Bracondale Hill Road, entertained a few friends Sunday evening in honour of her guests, Mr. and Mrs. W. Shenkman, of Ottawa.

Miss Ruth Backrack, of New York, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. H. Winberg, 44 Lake Front.

In honour of their debutante daughter, Marcia, Mr. and Mrs. Harris Andrews entertained at a dance on Saturday evening at their home, 618 Euclid Avenue. Mrs. Andrews, wearing black velvet with squirrel and silver lace, received the guests, with the debutante, who wore a frock of shot silver cloth and carried an old-fashioned nosegay and ostrich fan. They were assisted in receiving by Mrs. F. A. Silverman and Mrs. A. Andrews. An orchestra played. The lucky number dances were won by Misses Dollie Levinter and Bessie Frenes, Dr. Ben Davidson and Harry Fogler. The guests were Misses Florence Finberg, Pearl Finberg, Deborah Levinne, Bessie and Ella Frenes, Ruby Goldblatt, of Owen Sound, Ethel Mehr,

Beatrice Baim, Charlotte Andrews, Libby Wechsler, Charlotte Felsod, Rose and Dollie Levinter, Adele Rothbart, Gertrude Stone, Gertrude Greisman, Fanny Schwartz, Lottie Brenner, Mae Gelber, of Los Angeles; Theresa Sweet, of Hamilton; Freda Shapiro, Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Silverman, Mr. and Mrs. A. Andrews, and Melville Stein, Herbert Weiss, Ben Miller, Murray Samuels, Joseph P. Andrews, Harry Waldman, Ben Grossberg, Dr. Bernard Willinsky, Maxwell Stein, Irving Allender, of Detroit; Abe Leiff, Harry Fogler, Lawrence Finberg, Harry Rothbart, Maurice Rosenfeld, Joseph Andrews, Arthur Bain, Edward Gelber, Dr. Ben Davidson and Joseph Sweet, both of Hamilton.

Mrs. Finsten, Wells Hill Avenue, gave her home for a miscellaneous shower on Wednesday afternoon in aid of the Hadassah Yairid.

Miss Goldie Smith, Queen Street West, spent the week-end in Hamilton, the guest of Miss Jessye Levine.

Mrs. F. P. Lesser, 41 Beech Avenue, will be at home in honour of Mrs. M. Lieberman, of Edmonton, Alta., on Sunday, December 14, from 3 to 7 o'clock. (No cards.)

Miss Estelle Starkman, Dundas Street West, entertained a few friends Sunday evening last.

A chrysanthemum ball was given at the Holy Blossom Congregation, Bond Street, by the Sisterhood, Monday evening. The decorations were done with yellow and white chrysanthemums. A screen of palms concealed the orchestra. Novelty dances and prizes were given. Those present were: Rabbi and Mrs. B. R. Brickner, Mr. and Mrs. S. Kronick, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. Israel Singer, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Tarshis, Mr. and Mrs. S. Lorie, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Levi, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Cohen, Mrs. S. Burnstein, Mr. and Mrs. Markus, Maurice Frankel,

Miss Emma Mayer, Mr. and Mrs. J. Levy, Mr. and Mrs. S. Goldsmith, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hermant, Mr. and Mrs. A. Levy, Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Nathanson, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Frankel, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Frankel, Sigmund Samuel, Louis Samuel, Arthur Jacobs, Milton Goldstein, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Leveston, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Nussbaum, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Mehr, Mr. and Mrs. Marshack, Dr. I. R. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. J. Eisman, Mr. and Mrs. Epstein, Mr. and Mrs. J. Creed, Mr. and Mrs. L. Jacobs, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Jacobs, Mr. and Mrs. W. Gittes, Mr. and Mrs. Kurtz, Mr. and Mrs. Isadore Brodey, Louis Frankel, Miss Clara Kallmeyer, Mr. and Mrs. A. Rosenthal, Mr. and Mrs. Meyer Brenner, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rotenberg, Mr. and Mrs. Jule Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Draimin, Dr. and Mrs. Willinsky, Dr. and Mrs. M. A. Pollock, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Raphael, Lawrence Kert, Harold Levy, Mrs. Greisman, Sidney Greisman, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Schwartz, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Hutner, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Samuel, Mr. and Mrs. Isidore Burnstein, L. Samuels, Mr. and Mrs. B. Cooper, Misses Ray Jacobs, Ethel Mehr, Ethel Goldstein, Seraphime Marshack, Lillian Lorie, Mildred Lubelsky, Leola Levy, Minnie Smith, Miss Rose Hirsch, of Montreal; Ella and Bessie Frenes, Edna Frankel, Mae Gelber, Evelyn Moscovitz, of Portland, Oregon, Rita Cooper, and S. and H. Franklin, Moe Greisman, Ben Luxenberg, Jack Greenberg, Saul Silverman and Mr. Brown, of Detroit.

Albert Jaffey, well-known in local musical circles, is leaving for New York Sunday. Mrs. Jaffey will remain in Toronto until after Pesach, when she will join her husband.

Miss Sylvia Cornfield, Grace Street, has left for a few weeks' stay in Detroit to visit relatives and friends.

Joseph M. Gordon is a candidate for the Board of Education for Ward 4.

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Mrs. S. Kronick, 106 Madison Avenue, is giving a candy shower on Sunday afternoon and evening, from 2.30 to 9 o'clock, for the Hadassah Yarith.

Irving Rodenburg, of Buffalo, who competed at the swimming meet at the West End "Y," was the guest of the Upsilon Lambda Phi Fraternity last week-end.

An apron shower will be held at the home of Mrs. M. Geldzaeler, 90 Walmer Road, on Monday, December 15, from 2.30 to 6.30 o'clock, for the Hadassah Yarith.

Miss Ann Clavir, Manning Avenue, who has been visiting in New York for the past few months, has returned home.

Misses Etta Bochner and Eva Foster entertained at a miscellaneous shower on Sunday last in honour of Miss Esther Eisen, who is to be married in January.

Mrs. H. P. Shulman (nee Ceale Ciesman), of Detroit, formerly of Toronto, has as her guest Miss Sarah Shulman, of Toronto, her sister-in-law. Miss Shulman has been entertained at several theatre parties and dinners by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Covert, Mr. and Mrs. Lou Shuman, Mr. and Mrs. B. Mintz, all formerly of Toronto.

The Maxwell Girls' Club held a farewell theatre party on Friday last in honour of Miss Anna Caplan, prior to her departure for Detroit.

Miss Rose Mosoff, Markham Street, gave a kitchen shower Tuesday last in honour of Miss Kate Goldberg, a bride-elect of this month.

Miss Shirley Fine, Crawford Street, gave a china shower for the gift shoppe of the Junior Hadassah at the Yarith.

Sam Berger, of Winnipeg, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. Stopeck, Coxwell Avenue, is returning home on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Levy, Edgewood Avenue, entertained a number of their friends Saturday evening at dancing and novelty games. Mr. and Mrs. J. Bordman, Jack Friedman and Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Friedman were the prize-winners. Mrs. Mark Cohn sang, accompanied by Mrs. Emanuel Friedman. Lunch was served at midnight.

Mrs. M. Beube, of Hamilton, spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. D. Stein, Queen Street West.

Miss Fanny Goodman, D'Arcy Street, gave a handkerchief tea on Monday in honour of Miss Anna Halpern, a bride-elect of this month.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Rotenberg, Rush-ton Road, entertained Saturday evening in honour of Miss Tessie Lavine, a bride of this week. Mrs. S. Lavine, Dunvegan Road, entertained Sunday evening in honour of Miss Lavine.

Rabbi Iser Freund, of Hamilton, was the guest of Rabbi and Mrs. B. R. Brickner, Lonsdale Road, while in town.

Miss Rita Samuels, Palmerston Boulevard, gave a theatre party Wednesday afternoon in honour of Miss Ray Her-man, a bride-elect of next month.

Meyer Lipson, of Ottawa, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Perkins, Palmerston Boulevard.

Mrs. M. Lieberman and children, of Edmonton, Alta., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. Lieberman, 700 Queen Street West.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rotenberg, Palmerston Boulevard, entertained Sunday evening in honour of the bar-mitzvah of their son, Louis. Covers were laid for fifty.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Wagman, Westmount Avenue, entertained at a family dinner on Sunday in honour of Charles Backer, of Chicago.

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Mrs. Gluskin, Mrs. Kamarnier and Mrs. Robins are giving a miscellaneous shower at the home of the latter, 141 Northcliffe Boulevard, on Monday evening, December 15.

Miss Mollie Ramstein, Grange Avenue, entertained at bridge Thursday evening, in honour of Miss Minnie Samuels, a bride-elect of next month.

Miss Selma Mirochnick, Palmerston Avenue, entertained a few friends on Friday evening.

Mrs. S. Samuels, Bellevue Place, gave a linen shower Sunday evening in honour of Miss Rose Gordon, a bride-elect of this month.

Irving Allender, of Detroit, spent the week-end in town.

Irving Mindel, of Montreal, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. I. Rothbart, Grenadier Road, for a few days.

Miss Pearl Greisman, Major Street, gave a handkerchief and apron shower on Monday evening in honour of Miss Kate Goldberg, a bride-elect of this month.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Epstein, of Brooklyn, New York, are visiting Mrs. J. Greenbaum, Henry Street.

Miss Kate Nurick, Grange Avenue, as left for an indefinite stay in Detroit.

Mrs. Harry Langer and daughter, Dorothy, of Hamilton, spent a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Cadesky, Borden Street.

Mrs. I. Lightstone and daughter have left to join her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Maldaver, of Detroit.

Miss Theresa Sweet, of Hamilton, spent the week-end with Mrs. Frank Silverman, Euclid Avenue.

Misses Matilda and Sophie Weissman, Beatrice Street, entertained at four tables of whist on Sunday evening.

Mrs. M. Wienstein, Dundas Street West, entertained at dinner on Sunday in honour of her niece, Miss Esther Cherkinsky. Covers were laid for twelve.

Misses Betty Cohen, Marcia Berkun and Bertha Cohen gave a linen shower

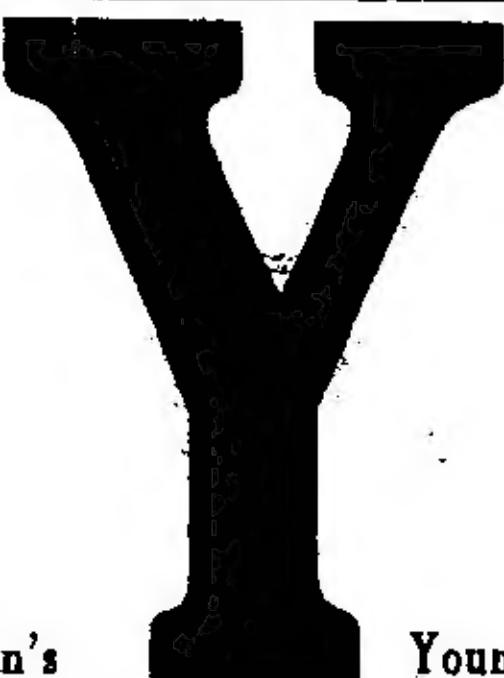
Sunday evening at the home of the latter, on Markham Street, in honour of Miss Beekie Berkun, a bride-elect of this month.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Davis have moved to 75 High Park Boulevard.

A crystal shower and bridge was given by Miss Lillian Solonson, Mark-

ham Street, in honour of Miss Anna Halpern, a bride-elect of this month, at the Primrose Club, on Wednesday evening last. Prizes were won by Miss Etta Wagman, Mrs. S. Isen and Miss Mildred Woodrow.

The Kappa Delta Girls' Club gave a bridge Sunday evening in honour of Miss Anna Halpern, a bride-to-be of this



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Miss Bella left Monday in Montreal.

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entertained with several violin solos and classical dances accompanied by Miss Betty Markowitz. Prize-winners at cards were: Ann Ziedenberg, Helen Herzog, Hyman Sherman and Morris Rotstein.

Mrs. Charles Markowitz, Dundas Street West, spent the week-end with her parents, Rabbi and Mrs. Levine, of Hamilton.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Mrs. Max Clavir thanks her relatives and friends for flowers and gifts sent her while in the hospital.

BORN

To Mr. and Mrs. B. David Goodman, December 5, at the Toronto General Hospital, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Heller, jr., of Richmond Hill, L.I., N.Y. (nee Sarah Greenberg, of Toronto), a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Samuels (nee Beatrice Hansher), at the Toronto General Hospital, on Wednesday, December 9, a son.

ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. A. Geller, Crawford Street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Annie, to Mannie Eskowitch, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Eskowitch.

Mr. and Mrs. William Azenoff, of Detroit, announce the engagement of their daughter, Sylvia, to Maxwell Schott, of Windsor, son of Mr. and Mrs. I. Schott, of Chatham, Ont.

WEDDINGS

Fish-Applebaum

On Sunday evening, November 23, at the Beth Jacob Synagogue, Lillian, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Applebaum, was united in marriage to Benjamin Fish, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Kaufman Fish. The bride, who was given in marriage by her parents, wore a gown of white crepe meteor with rhinestone trimming. Her veil was held in place by a coronet of orange blossoms and she carried a shower bouquet of Ophelia roses and lilies-of-the-valley. Miss Sue Fish, niece of the groom, in a frock of gold lace and carrying a bouquet of Columbia roses, was maid of honour. The bridesmaids were Miss Dorothy Wolavitz, in sky blue georgette; Misses Lottie Taylor, Anne Grossman and Lillian Shapiro, all in peach georgette and carrying bouquets of pink roses. The flower girls, Rose Goldstein and Shirley Fish, were dressed in blue georgette and carried bouquets of white roses. Ben Shore was best man. The groomsmen were Phillip Lewis, Louis Mintzer, Charles Paskowitz, and Max Mest. Dinner was served to over four hundred guests. Mrs. Applebaum, mother of the bride, received the guests, gowning in black cut velvet trimmed with ostrich feathers and a rhinestone buckle.

The first meeting of the Joint Reconstruction Foundation, the new organization recently formed for the purpose of taking over the reconstruction work of the liquidating Joint Distribution Committee, was held at Brussels recently. The new Foundation, as incorporated in England, consists of representatives of the Jewish Colonization Association and the American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee. The American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee is represented on the board of the Foundation by Bernard Flexner, Meyer Gillis, Herbert H. Lehman, Leonard George Robinson, Felix M. Warburg and Peter Wiernik. The members representing the Jewish Colonization Association are Leonard Lionel Cohen and Leonard Goldsmith Montefiore of London.

One hundred thousand Jews live in the cities, 48,000 in the small towns, and about 8,000 in the villages of Lithuania, according to the census which has recently been completed. 172,000 Lithuanians live in the cities, 1,147,000 in the small towns and 1,147,000 in the villages.

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month, at the home of Miss Mollie Solway, Lakeview Avenue. Miss Halpern was presented with a pair of sterling silver candlesticks by the club.

J. Sweet, of Hamilton, spent the week-end in town.

Dr. B. Davidson, of Hamilton, was the guest of his mother, Mrs. Davidson, Grace Street, over the week-end.

Abe Lavine, Huron Street, and Sam Casselman spent the week-end in Hamilton.

Miss Ruby Goldblatt, of Owen Sound, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. I. Rothbart, Grenadier Road, over the week-end.

Miss Bella Erenberg, Simcoe Street, left Monday for a several weeks' stay in Montreal.

Hans Kahl, of Cottbus, Germany, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Hansher, Wells Hill Avenue, during his stay in Toronto.

Miss Betty Markowitz entertained at her home, Euclid Avenue, on Saturday night at military whist in honour of Miss Rose Kates, who is going to live in New York. Among the guests were: Misses Ruth Kaufman, Minnie Ziedenberg, Ann Cohen, Mary Kaminker, Reba Corb and Helen Herzog; and Ben Shone, Jack Wise, Jimmie Siegel, Dr. J. Sherman, D. Brenner, Morris Rotstein, Arthur Solts, Hyman Sherman, Albert Kates and Henry Corb.

in the villages. The number of Poles in Lithuania is 16,620, and there are 13,459 Russians.

The first large group of Jewish farmer immigrants arrived in New York on the S. S. "Albert Ballin." They were permitted to land, with the purpose of proceeding to Texas, California and Arizona to engage in farming there. These Jewish farmer immigrants come from Bessarabia, Poland and Russia. They bring certificates from their governments showing that they engaged in farming there.

Excavations conducted on Mount Ohpel by the Palestine Exploration Fund have unearthed the Tower of Solomon, 40 feet high with two steep bastions. The architecture represents David's masonry with Solomonic repairs.

EMINENT ARTIST TO LECTURE HERE

Saul Raskin, one of the outstanding Jewish painters, will be here to deliver two lectures, December 12. S. Raskin has just returned from his third tour through Palestine where he collected material for paintings. During his stay in Palestine he distinguished himself by his correspondence on all phases of life there. He will speak at the Peretz School, 194 Beverley Street on Friday

evening, December 12, on "Art and Life in Palestine." His second lecture on "How the Chazim are Building Palestine" will be delivered Sunday, December 14, at Alhambra Hall, 450 Spadina Avenue, auspices Poale-Zion Organization.



Saul Raskin

EDITORIAL

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for his own good and the good of the country. This sort of rapid assimilation robs the country of those cultural and spiritual attributes which are the heritage of the immigrant, because of the centuries of tradition which are stored up in him. The country of his adoption, young in spirit, new in ideas, requires this old wine to pour into her new bottles. This old wine is good wine, as good as that of the older Pilgrims and Puritans, and the mixture of wine ought to produce a strong and rich product. But if this old rich wine is first diluted with jazz and materialism, it becomes of little value.

America, and I include Canada, too, should stimulate the immigrant to cultivate and develop his racial and religious heritage and not inculcate in him a dislike to it. Most immigrants after a short while in America develop an inferiority complex. They begin to look askance at their own heritage and try to divest themselves with the same rapidity that they strip off their foreign clothes. This process is not wholesome—it is not natural. The immigrant, his children and the country of his adoption all suffer from it.

It is unfortunate that many Canadian leaders of thought reflect so many of the false views on immigration expounded in the United States.

We in Canada also hear much about the dangers from immigration to our institutions and our culture. It is ridiculous for us here to have such little faith in our powers of absorption and assimilation, and so much fear of the powers of the immigrant to change us rather than be changed. The opposite has been the case in the U.S.A. The immigrant has become assimilated.

Canada needs population in the worst possible way. When times are bad, do not worry. People from Europe will not come to starve in Canada when they can do as well starving in England or Poland or Italy. When times become good and we require people to fill up our waste places, build up our industries as well as our agriculture. Then it is our business to encourage every able-bodied and sound-minded white man willing to work who comes over of his own free will, to come, and the more the merrier. Canada has nothing to learn from the present anti-immigration leaders in the U.S.A.

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CHILDREN'S HOME

The executive meeting of the Jewish Children's Home will take place at the home of Mrs. M. L. Willinsky, Madison and Bernard Avenue, on Monday, December 15, at 8.15.

MATERNITY AID

The Hebrew Maternity Aid Society met at the Zionist Institute, December 9, Mrs. Harry Clavir in the chair. Reports were read by the sewing convener, case convener, and special reference was made to a baby case whose mother is in the Weston Sanatorium. Many raffle books were distributed for the vacuum cleaner and the washing machine in aid of the Mother and Babies' Rest Home. Mrs. M. Till announced a Purim bazaar for March 5. Next meeting Tuesday evening, December 30.

YOUNG JUDAEA IN TORONTO

Young Judaea is making arrangements for a Young Judaea week, from Sunday, December 21, to December 27. A mass meeting for boys and girls will be held on Sunday afternoon in the Strand Theatre. The programme will consist of a musical pantomime on the story of Chanukah, a humorous play, a model Young Judaea meeting, and a five minutes' address. The following evening will be devoted to the organization of new circles. Tuesday evening, at the Zionist building, dollar dance; first meeting of Young Judaea's mock parliament, Thursday, 1 p.m.; Leaders' Training Group, Saturday evening. Young Judaea has twenty-one active circles and expects to raise this number to about thirty-five. A sing-song circle is being organized to meet every two weeks. Representatives of all circles will be invited.

The educational system employed by Young Judaea has been revised. The first meeting of the month is devoted to Jewish history; second to the origin of Jewish customs, Jewish myths, poetry and folk-songs; third to debate; and the last to Palestine and latest developments in Zionist work. Leaders' Training Group will meet monthly.

The organization meeting of the Mock Parliament will be held Sunday, December 14. The government will consist of the Akivah, Halevi, Disraeli and Judah Circles, the opposition will be made up of the Maccabean, Herzl and Young Cheluzim Circles, and the third party will be composed of girls.

MONTEFIORE GIRLS

The Montefiore Girls gave a bridge and linen shower at an uptown tea room, Wednesday, December 3, in honour of Miss Rae Lerner, whose marriage to I. Lippmann, of Galveston, Texas, takes place next month. Prizes were won by Misses Etta Wagman, Clara Borenstein and Eva Jackson.

B. A. CLUB

The B. A. Club are holding a shower for the white elephant booth of the Hadassah Yarn, at the home of Miss Adeline Miller, Chestnut Park Road, on Sunday evening, December 14, at 7.30.

That the Arab executive and Cardinal Barlassina have not the legal status to start proceedings on behalf of the Christian Church is the opinion of the Jerusalem courts, according to a report published recently in the Arab paper, "Falastin," in Jerusalem. The Arab executive and Cardinal Barlassina were anxious to start proceedings against the Hebrew daily paper, "Doar Ha'Yom." The accusation rested upon the assertion that one of its columnists in commenting upon the conversion of Hans Herzl made several improper expressions in connection with the name of Jesus.

Despatches from Jassy allege that investigations conducted by the police, in connection with the murder of Chief of Police Montchu, reveal that the Roumanian Fascist organization has been receiving support from Henry Ford.

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The desecration of an immortal memory occurred in Germany last Monday when a band of anti-Semitic Hakenkreuzler destroyed the marble monument of Rachel, celebrated French-Jewish actress of the 19th century. The monument was erected in 1852 on the Pfaueninsel in Potsdam, by Frederick Wilhelm IV, King of Prussia, at the place where Rachel performed before him and Nicholas I, Czar of Russia. The performance commemorated the historic Russo-Prussian alliance. Both rulers were captivated by her art.

The Lithuanian Government has refused to recognize as public institutions the 83 credit banks, known as Volks Banks, established in the post-war period in Lithuania, with the assistance of the American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee. The banks are established on co-operative principles

and small business men with short-term credits at a low rate of interest. The economic welfare of Lithuanian Jews depends upon the existence of these banks. The Government, in refusing to recognize them as public institutions, imposes heavy taxes upon them, which will jeopardize their existence.

Two hundred and thirty-five Jewish refugees who are held at the Atlantic Hotel in Cherbourg at the expense of the White Star Line because of their inability to proceed to the United States, declared a hunger strike in protest of the attitude of the agents of the steamship company, it is stated.

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We will now go in and look over our water softener. We pass all the city water through this large tank over a bed of zeolite and gravel which removes all the lime and magnesia from the city water of which there is from seven to ten degrees. We use approximately 60,000 gallons per day of this water for drinking and washing purposes. We paid the City of Toronto during the months of July, August and September, which are the three quietest months of the year, for 3,082,800 gallons of water. This water is tested twice a day to see that it is free from alkalinity. The water is also tested frequently after the ninth rinse on white clothes, at which time it must be equally as pure as when it leaves the water softener. If such is not the case we know that our washman is not doing his work properly. You will also notice our water heaters, which have a capacity for heating 7,100 gallons of water per hour to 200 degrees, which gives us plenty of hot water at all times.

We will now show you how we handle a wash after the driver brings it to us. We weigh it on this very fine set of Toledo scales, which are the most accurate that we know of. Some of our customers ask us how we weigh it; we tell them that we weigh it dry with all the dirt in it. After weighing we stamp the weight and price on the tag which accompanies the bundle and which is returned to the customer. Then one of our young ladies takes one customer's bundle at a time, places it on this sorting table, after which she opens the bundle, sorting it and places the light colours dark colours, flannels and blacks in separate bags on the left hand side of the table and all of the white clothes in bags on the right hand side. After this she takes a set of these large pins, which are all numbered the same. For instance, on this tag there are eight pins numbered 104. She removes a pin for each bag and securely closes up the bag with the pin so that nothing can get out of it, after which the clothes are washed in the bag. Our reason for doing this is that we know that the bag gets the wear of the clothes in the washing, that there is no chance of tearing, that they are not so liable to get lost and there are no ink marks on any of the clothes. We are the only laundry in Canada operating entirely under this system.

We will now show you the washing machines. In these four washers we wash the light colours, dark colours, flannels and blacks. On the flannel machine you will notice that we have a special valve which will not permit water to pass into the machine excepting it be at blood heat or at a temperature of 100 degrees. We give the flannels two warm suds and two rinses, or four changes of water. The light colours, dark colours and blacks are given two suds and four rinses or six changes of water. We give them first a soda bath, second rinse, third warm suds, fourth hot rinse, fifth hot suds, sixth javel water, seventh hot rinse, eighth hot rinse, ninth cold rinse, tenth blue. This occupies time of one hour and a quarter, after which we remove the clothes from the washer and place them in one of these extractors of wringers, which spin the water out of the clothes, so the

clothes nor break the buttons. We then sort the bags and hang each families' wash up separately on one of these hooks. After which in the semi-finish department we shake each wash out by itself and prepare it for ironing. The flat work such as bed linen, table linen and towels is all perfectly ironed, the body clothes are about 90 per cent. finished, leaving only a few fancy corners to be touched up at home or to be worn as they are, whichever the customer wishes. You will notice that while the clothes are coming through the machine, frequently a long strip about six inches wide is passed through. This tells the feeders that the wash just passed through the ironer is finished and they are beginning another one. After this is done, the parcel is wrapped up and placed in the proper driver's bin for delivery.

I will now show you our air-cooled drier which is used for drying clothes for those who wish their clothes simply washed and dried and nothing further done to them. The fresh air is taken in at the front of the machine, heated, and passed through the tumbler, then out through this pipe into the atmosphere. After the clothes are dried, they are placed in bags and sent home.

Over here we have the damp wash department. You will notice a number of hooks on the wall, each of which represents an individual family wash. After the bags are all sorted we take each wash by itself and pack it up into bags, placing the colours in the bottom and a piece of paper between the colours and flannels and also another piece between the flannels and white clothes and a piece on the top which prevents any dust getting on the clothes while being delivered. If you should receive a damp wash you need not feel it necessary that they should be ironed immediately as you may allow them to remain in the bag an indefinite period without any fear of mildew. From now on any damp and dry wash that is picked up any time during the day will be washed at night and delivered to the customer early the following morning. This service we feel will appeal strongly to the housewife and we are the first laundry in Canada to adopt it.

We also have two other services which are becoming very popular. The damp wash with the flat work ironed, which means that all the body clothes are returned damp, ready to iron, and the flat work, such as bed linen, table linen, and towels are ironed. Then we have a dry wash with the flat work ironed, which means that all of the body clothes are returned dry and the flat work, such as bed linen, table linen and towels are ironed ready to put away.

You will notice that we hang up all of our blankets and sweaters in the open air to dry, which prevents any shrinking. Our hosiery for the semi-finish is placed on heated forms so that when dried they are exactly the same shape as they were when you bought them, without any possible chance of shrinking.

We have here the samples of soap suds and javel water which is all we use in the washing process. We make up our suds with fifty pounds of pure soap, twenty-five pounds of soda ash and 100 gallons of water for washing white goods. For washing flannels we make up fifty pounds of pure soap, 100 gallons of water and five pounds of soda. We use enough of this solution to make a heavy suds while washing. The javel water is made up of fifty gallons of water, twenty-two pounds of soda and ten pounds of chlorine gas, which is the same gas as is used in the city water which you drink every day and is recognized by authorities as being one of the finest means of sterilizing that is known to science to-day. This is the blue we use which is marketed especially for us and will keep any kind of white goods

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evenly, which is a very important feature of our washing. In these two small sample bottles you will find the same amount of water and the same number of drops of soap. By shaking them you will see that the soft water gives a splendid suds while the hard water suds is very light and the soap immediately congeals, leaving nothing but soap curds in the water which you have often seen in the water at home when washing dishes or in the wash tub.

We have now come to the samples of the different processes of which we have five. First we have a damp wash at five cents a pound or twenty pounds for \$1. This wash you will notice is ready for ironing and very few of the pieces have to be hung up to dry.

Next we have a damp wash with the flat work ironed, at eight cents a pound or twelve and a half pounds for \$1. This means that all of the body clothes which are in this bag are returned to you damp, ready to iron, and the flat work which is in this pile in front of the bag is ironed and ready to put away. This is a very popular service.

Next we have a dry wash, which means that the clothes are all washed and dried and put in this bag and sent home in this manner, for which we charge seven cents or fourteen pounds for \$1.

Next we have a dry wash with the flat work ironed, which means that all the body clothes which are in this bag are returned to you dry and the flat pieces are ironed ready to put away on arrival at your place. For this we charge ten cents a pound or ten pounds for \$1.

Next we have the semi-finish, which means that all the flat work, such as bed linen, table linen and towels, are all perfectly ironed and handkerchiefs and body clothes are about 90 per cent. finished, leaving you only a few fussy corners to touch up when you get the wash home. Take for instance this shirt. While we do not claim to finish it perfectly, we know many men are wearing shirts not nearly so well ironed as this. You would get approximately two shirts per pound so that this would only cost you about five cents to have finished and returned. We charge for this service eleven cents per pound or nine pounds for \$1.

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EMPIRE

If names mean anything, patrons of the Empire Theatre will have a happy combination offered them week of December 15, when Rube Bernstein, well-known Toronto boy's "Bathing Beauties" in new edition, is scheduled. Rube is one of those far-seeing impresarios who senses the public's taste in amusements and endeavours to fill the demand. His "Bathing Beauties" of last season has been retooled with musical comedy and vaudeville luminaries, has been given a new look and some jingly musical interludes as well as outfitting it with brand-new scenery and sixteen pretty costume changes for the eighteen chorus maidens.

Two of Columbia Burlesque's best fun-providers have the leading laugh roles. They are Jack Hunt and Clyde Bates whose portrayal of the tramp character is nothing short of extremely humorous at all times. The straight man who works with them in many of their funny scenes is Dudley Farnsworth who is a fine singer as well as an intelligent foil for Hunt and Bates. Sydney Silvers is the handsome young juvenile and contributes an individual specialty in addition to his other appearance.

Vinnie Phillips, the charming ingenue of last season's "Bathing Beauties," has much to do during the action, and it is safe to assume that everything she does is well done, for Vinnie is one of the most versatile and talented young women in any branch of the profession. Two scintillating soubrettes are promised to keep the action at lightning gait, in the persons of Kitty Madison and Marie Hart, a fine pair to draw to.

A blues singer of unusual calibre is the promise made in behalf of Marie Hone, a vaudevillian of note. Tower and Welch will introduce a series of new dancing steps of their own original concoction.

Personally attractive, Kathleen French and the Aeroplane Girls will be viewed in an up-to-the-minute sensation. Attired in nifty costumes which display their charms to advantage, these two feminine dare-devils are to stage a thrilling performance on the whirling trapeze. By the use of a mechanical apparatus, they are to be hurtled through space at a high rate of speed, performing the while a series of thrilling exploits.

"The Bathing Beauties" chorus is asserted to be composed of eighteen lovely girls, each a "pip" in appearance and with unusual ability vocally and in a dancing sense.

SHEA'S

The two headline attractions at Shea's Theatre next week are Ed. Healy and Allan Cross, and Eileen Schofield.

Ed. Healy and Allan Cross are demonstrators of the new styles in songs.

Eileen Schofield presents a terpsichorean novelty called "Dancing Lessons," assisted by Martin Young, Mack Davis, Jerry Smith and Jack Boyce, a quartette of dancers with voices.

Vera Lavrova, the internationally famous coloratura prima donna, is coming to Shea's next week. Off the stage she is Baroness Royce-Garrett. She is assisted at the piano by Mark Smolzman.

"Smarty's Party," George Kelly's latest play, has an excellent cast headed by Mme. Besson. George Kelly is responsible for the opening success of "The Show Off" and "The Torch Bearers." Mme. Besson is a well-known French actress who has been seen in such playlets as J. M. Barrie's "Half an Hour" and Rupert Hughes' "Claymore."

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